

PLOT AGAINST CROWNED HEADS

Attempt to Kill Belgian King Was But a Part of Plot Against All Royalty:

ANARCHISTS' PLAN

Rubino, the Assassin Now in Custody, Was Chosen To Kill Italy's King, But Failed.

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Rome, Nov. 17.—With the arrest of Rubino in Brussels after an unsuccessful attempt to murder King Leopold Saturday last, a general wholesale slaughter of the crowned heads of Europe has been discovered by the Italian police.

Nerve Failed. It is now asserted that some time ago it was planned to kill the king of Italy and Rubino was chosen by lot to do the deed but his nerve failed him and to avoid the punishment of his companions he fled to England.

His Last Attempt. His last attempt was made with the idea of reinstating himself with the anarchistic community in London. Leopold had not been particularly named.

May Arrest Others. The arrest of Rubino may lead to the arrest of many other prominent leaders who are now in hiding in London, Rome and other cities. The police are very vigilant over the affair.

PAY HIGH PRICE FOR A POTATO

English Farmers Receive a Fabulous Sum for a New Brand.

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) London, Nov. 17.—Country Life, an English publication writes of a potato grown in Fifehire, known as the Northern Star, which sold in 1901 for \$5.60 a ton, or \$2.50 a pound. The rate for the present year is estimated to be \$2.50 a ton and all the rich farmers in the country have taken up the growing of them.

WOULD ARRANGE CONGESTED STREETS

Minister Balfour Gives His Opinion on the Condition of London's Thoroughfares.

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) London, Nov. 17.—Prime Minister Balfour has given the subject of the congested traffic of the London streets his consideration and has expressed his opinion as favoring a royal commission to settle the trouble.

GERMAN WARSHIP ROBBED IN GREECE

Two Men Are Killed by the Thieves in Their Search After Plunder.

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Athens, Nov. 17.—The German warship Lorient, while being repaired at Piræus, was boarded early yesterday morning and after the watch and a warrant officer had been killed, they made away with a strong box and one of the ship's boats.

Favored Education of Women.

The bequest of Prof. Jacob of Berlin in the interest of coeducation is said to be the first of its kind ever made by a man. He has bequeathed 10,000 marks to the University of Berlin with the proviso that the university shall not come into possession of the money until at least two departments are open to women as regular students.

Paper Cannon.

Krupp, the great German manufacturer of cannon, has lately completed a number of paper field pieces for the use of the German infantry. Their caliber is a little less than two inches, and the pieces are so light that one soldier can easily carry one; but the resistance is greater than that of a field piece of steel of the same caliber.

The Russian Editor.

A perusal of the czar's instructions to Russian editors respecting the publication of incendiary matter indicates that the Muscovite journalist is mighty lucky if he can get to press with the real estate transfers and the railroad time tables as his "scare head" features.

American Architects Honored.

American architects are asked by the municipality of Patras, Greece, to enter a contest for the furnishing of plans for a church to cost \$250,000, which will take the place of the present Church of St. Andrew. The prizes are \$2,000, \$800 and \$400. The general character of the architecture must be Byzantine.

LUZON CATHOLICS HAVE REVOLTED

They Will Meet in Manila to Send an Ultimatum to the Pope.

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Manila, Nov. 17.—The independent bishops and other leaders of the Catholic church in the islands will hold a conference in this city during the coming week. They will thoroughly go over the entire list of grievances and it is probable that they will present an ultimatum to Archbishop Guidi stating the conditions that they will go back to the Catholic church on. The delegates will come unaccompanied as to just what they will do until they hear from Guidi. Many of the priests are wavering from allegiance to the Roman church and they will have a special meeting before the general conference takes place. The dissenters are still holding open air services and draw immense crowds of former Catholic communicants. They are making no attempt to obtain any of the church property since the authorities compelled them to give up what they had taken.

ABOUT THE STATE

The Little Wolf River Lumber Co. is erecting an electric plant, and expects in a short time to be able to furnish electric lighting.

On Wednesday, the State Federation of Reforms will meet at Baraboo. Lucy Page Gaston of Chicago will deliver an address on cigarettes.

The Manitowoc county superintendent of schools have set the dates for the teachers' meetings during the months to come starting on Saturday at Reedsville.

The Teachers' club of Waukesha will hold a picture exhibition at the school in that city, from Wednesday to Saturday. Two hundred pictures will be shown.

At the recent election the people of Two Rivers showed that they were in favor of a new school building. Plans and specifications will be drawn and the building erected.

At Menominee the new Dunn County school has been completed and opened this morning. It will accommodate the Dunn county school of agriculture, just established, and the Dunn county teachers' training school.

The old Cutler residence, one of the first buildings erected at Waukesha, is being torn down, to make way for the new city library. One record says that the house was built as early as 1834.

Eau Claire aldermen refuse to attend the meetings of the city council in order to avoid taking action on the resignation of Mayor Eck. The latter resigned because opposition had been made to his causing the arrest of Halloween offenders.

Engineer Max Rudolph of Portage was instantly killed in a wreck on the Milwaukee road at Rock Island. One freight train was running onto the siding when another crashed into it, hitting the third car.

Dr. F. H. Edsall of Madison, who has been active in securing the Carnegie \$75,000 gift for that city, says that a man outside of that city stands ready to endow it with a \$50,000 state library school as an adjunct to the library.

Fred Ratsch, a German farmer living near Menominee, committed suicide by drowning himself. He had for some time labored under the delusion that he, and not King Edward was the rightful successor to Queen Victoria.

For the third time since September Charles Rudebusch of Mayville received an anonymous letter threatening himself and his family with destruction. The writer demands that \$2,000 be left in the door of a jewelry store.

Racine's crack drill squad, the Percival Guards, which started as a Sunday school organization, and is now one of the best drilled companies in the state, has refused to join the state militia, although Racine has no representation in the Wisconsin National Guard.

Radical changes are being planned by the Milwaukee Driving club for the coming season. The three-five heat events will probably be done away with, and there is talk of substituting a speed wagon. There is also a possibility of doing away with heat racing altogether.

The Milwaukee rifle club have a unique record in that nearly all of their members are charter members who have been shooting over the same range at the Soldiers' Home for twenty years, the same officers having served for that period of time. During the past two weeks the club house and range have been rebuilt.

FRENCH COUNT BURNS TO DEATH

Fails to Escape from His Burning Castle, and Is Cremated.

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Paris, Nov. 17.—Count Frank, well-known in society circles, was burned to death in his castle on Sunday night.

Saved By a Dog.

John Damm, aged four, was rescued from drowning by a dog at Evansville, Ind., recently. He fell from his velocipede into a ditch filled with water, and being stunned was unable to rise. A large bird dog caught the boy by the neck and dragged him out.

Largest Body of Hot Water.

Prismatic lake, in the Yellowstone National Park, is the largest body of hot water in the world.

REDS REPUDIATE RUBINO'S ACT

Claim He is a Spy in the Pay of the Italian Government at London.

DONE FOR EFFECT

They Also Claim That He Made the Attempt on Leopold, to Help His Popularity.

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Brussels, Nov. 17.—The stir created by the action of Rubino, the so-called Italian anarchist in attempting to kill King Leopold, has brought forth decided opinions from leading anarchists in Europe at meetings held last night.

Repudiate Him. The Belgian anarchists have repudiated him and claim that he is a spy in the pay of the Italian government with headquarters at London and that he has no connection with any of the anarchistic societies of Europe whatsoever.

Just A Ruse. They also claim to have investigated the situation and find that he was paid to do the act in the hopes of establishing the waning popularity of King Leopold among the mass of the Belgian people.

FRENCH VILLAGES FEAR THE WOLVES

Rhone District Is Infected with the Animals, and Help Is Asked For.

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Paris, Nov. 17.—The villages in the Rhone valley are infested with wolves and the protection of troops have been asked by the frightened villagers.

RULE FOR MARINE MOTOR RACING

The Organization Lays Down Restrictions for the New Sport Planned.

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Liverpool, Nov. 17.—A marine motor racing society has been formed and it is thought that races will be held in the near future in the English channel. Prominent Americans are backing the project.

AMERICAN LORD IS IN THE LAND

Albert Fairfax of New York, is an English Peer Without a Seat.

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) London, Nov. 17.—Albert K. Fairfax, of New York, or Lord Fairfax of England is in a funny position. In order to take his seat in the House of Lords he must become a naturalized English subject. His family is the Fairfax family of Virginia.

American an English Nobleman.

Albert K. Fairfax of Cameron, Va., has sailed for England, having been chosen as the London representative of an international banking corporation. Should he choose to do so he may assume the title of Baron Fairfax, being by rights, the twelfth of that line.

The Time to Retire.

Ex-Senator Jowett of St. Louis is ninety-four years old. Someone asked him not long ago how old he thought a man should be before retiring from business. The old gentleman gravely responded: "I don't really think, a man should keep on after he has reached the age of ninety."

Ocean Record Lowered.

Steaming the 3,000 miles between Cherbourg and New York in 5 days 11 hours 57 minutes the North German Lloyd liner Kronprinz Wilhelm has beaten by eight minutes the record for the same passage made last year by the Hamburg-American liner Deutschland.

Women's Fascinations.

The old saying about sweet sixteen is exploded by the truer knowledge that the highest beauty does not dwell in immaturity, for beauty does not mean alone the fashion of form and coloring, as found in a waxen doll. A woman's best and richest years are from twenty-six to forty. No woman is passed at an earlier day.

The First American Sermon.

In the library of the late Dr. Claudius B. Webster of Concord, N. H., has been found a copy of the first sermon preached in New England by Robert Cushman. The subject was "The Sin and Danger of Self-Love," and it was delivered at Plymouth, Mass., on December 12, 1621.

WILL NOMINATE SENATOR SPOONER

Senator McGillivray of Black River Falls, is the Man Chosen for the Honor.

(Special To The Gazette.) Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 17.—Senator J. J. McGillivray of Black River Falls will make the nominating speech for Senator John C. Spooner in the republican caucus. This is the first positive information which has been given by Senator Spooner that he will go into the contest. Senator McGillivray, who has been picked to make the speech, is one of the staunchest supporters of Gov. La Follette in the legislature. He had a long talk with Senator Spooner. After this conference he announced that the primary election law and taxation bills would pass the legislature and that Senator Spooner would be returned to the senate.

WRECK SURVIVORS UNDERGO TORTURE

Adrift for More Than a Month on a Raft With Scant Supply of Food.

Wellington, New Zealand, Nov. 17.—The eight survivors of the wreck of the British steamer Ellingamite, who were picked up on a raft by the British sloop-of-war Penguin, were rescued sixty miles from West King Island, the scene of the wreck. They had been drifting since October 9, without any food except two apples. Each apple was cut in sixteen pieces, there being fifteen men and the stewardess on the raft when it left the wreck. Three of the men became maddened by drinking sea water and leaped overboard. Four others and the stewardess died of starvation and exposure. The survivors suffered the greatest agony on the raft. This was twelve feet long by seven feet wide. It was half submerged, and every sea swept over it, drenching its occupants.

On the night of November 11, the castaways saw the lights of a steamer and shouted frantically. The steamer lowered a boat, which passed within fifty yards of the raft. Then, although those on the raft continued shouting, the boat turned back to the steamer, apparently not having heard the cries. One of the castaways tried to appease his hunger by chewing his handkerchief.

MICHIGAN GRANGERS FAVOR REGULATION

Executive Committee Stands for Co-operation and Legislative Control of Monopolies.

Lansing, Mich., Nov. 17.—The report of the executive committee was made to the National Grange. It deals principally with the trust question. It also notes with satisfaction the defeat of the ship subsidy bill, the legislation providing for the irrigation of western lands, and the enactment of the oleo margarine law by congress. The report says it is not the intention to denounce trusts, for the committee believes in co-operation and the uniting of forces for the common good of all. It favors combined interests that would reduce the cost of the necessities of life. But it is unalterably opposed to every combination that asks congress for special legislation that will give it a monopoly of the market in order to control prices. As a remedy the committee suggests federal legislation compelling corporations doing business in several states to conduct it on uniform terms, so as to permit no unjust discrimination in prices, and when dealing with the necessities of life to require corporations at all times to provide an adequate supply.

EXPORTING WHEAT TO THE ANTIPODES

Failure of Crop in Australia Causes Transfer of South African Trade to America.

New York, Nov. 17.—Quite an interesting situation has developed in the domestic grain trade as the outcome of the failure of the Australian wheat crop. The most important feature of it is the exports from the Pacific coast to Australia. Inasmuch as South Africa has depended largely upon the Antipodes for her supplies, her demand has also been transferred to this country. Shipments from Portland last week eclipsed previous records. The total of wheat, and flour reduced to wheat, and exported by water, approximated 2,000,000 bushels. The Australian failure has resulted in the exportations of 6,000,000 bushels of wheat this season. One day's exports from this port alone for Africa were 86,300 bushels of wheat and 14,000 sacks of flour. During October the exports of wheat from Puget sound were 2,452,267 bushels.

Have Conquered Kitchener.

It is said of Lord Kitchener that three months of social lionizing, country-house visiting and fulsome adulteration from English society have marked a baneful transformation in this erstwhile stoic. He has lost much of his sternness, has stopped refusing invitations for teas, dinners and luncheons and, indeed, has surrendered completely to social influences.

Honesty Triumphant.

"There isn't any such thing as honest legislation in this country," complained the pessimist. "Oh, I don't know," replied the legislator. "I was promised \$500 if I helped pass a certain bill, and I did it and got all that was promised me."—Philadelphia Press.

Not Unnatural Discovery.

A special cable dispatch announces that in Pompeii the first envelope ever made was recently dug out of the ruins. It was found in the pockets of a male mummy, and was addressed in a woman's handwriting.

World's Death Statistics.

Taking the world as a whole 25 per cent of the people die before they reach the age of 17.

NOTED OFFICIALS ARE IN CHICAGO

Governor Wright and General Chaffee in the Windy City This Morning.

BOTH WELCOMED

Chaffee Will Have a Reception Tendered Him in That City; Wright, in Memphis.

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Chicago, Ill., Nov. 17.—Acting Governor Wright of the Philippines and General Chaffee arrived here this morning from San Francisco. General Chaffee will stay in the city two days, but Governor Wright will go at once to Memphis.

Given Receptions. Both of the officers will be tendered receptions. General Chaffee will be the guest of the Union League club this afternoon and Governor Wright will be tendered an official welcome in Memphis on the twenty-first.

Roosevelt There. President Roosevelt is expected to return from his bear hunting at Smedee before that time and will be present at the reception. Thus far the President has not shot any bear. No reporters are allowed within miles of the encampment.

LOUBET MAY SEE ST. LOUIS FAIR

The French President Indicates That He May Visit the St. Louis Exposition.

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Paris, Nov. 17.—President Loubet has signified that if he is asked properly that he might come to St. Louis in 1903 for the Louisiana exposition.

AWFUL STORY OF SUFFERING

Sixteen People, with Only Two Apples, Live Four Days on a Raft.

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Wellington, New Zealand, Nov. 17.—Sixteen people on a twelve foot raft for four days with two apples for food and finally eight of them dying, is the story told of the wreck of the steamer Ellingamite.

GIVE ALL CREDIT TO GALILEO

Venetian Authority Says That He Invented the Thermometer Centuries Ago.

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) London, Nov. 17.—Professor Faraday of Venice, one of the literary lights, states on authority that Galileo invented the thermometer.

Hope to Become National.

The Jane Jefferson (women's) Democratic club of Denver has taken out a thirty years' charter. It is hoped by the originators that the club, which was named in honor of the mother of Thomas Jefferson, will ultimately become a national organization of Democratic women.

What She Read.

"Why, Maude," he said, "I thought you told me you sat up till nearly morning reading this magazine?" "Yes, I did," she answered. "But none of the pages are cut?" "You don't have to cut pages to read about corsets and baby food,"—Chicago Record-Herald.

Foreign Representatives Attend the Funeral of Liu Kun in Shanghai.

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Shanghai, Nov. 17.—The funeral of the late Liu Kun took place yesterday and all the foreign representatives paid honor to the departed celestial statesman.

SWEDENBORGIANS IN SESSION

New Jerusalem Church Elects Officers for the Ensuing Year.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 17.—At the session of the Illinois Association church of New Jerusalem, covering Illinois, Missouri, Wisconsin and Indiana, the following officers were elected: Presiding minister, the Rev. J. S. Saul, Chicago; secretary, the Rev. L. G. Ladenberger, St. Louis; treasurer, C. H. Cutler, Chicago. Additional Members of the Executive Committee—Robert Matheson, Arthur Burnham and Dr. Cobb, Chicago; William Niles, La Porte, Ind.; George Copeland, Jefferson, Wis.; Percy Werner, St. Louis; George Burt, Henry, Ill. The Rev. L. G. Ladenberger, missionary pastor, presented his report and addressed the meeting, and addresses were also made by the Rev. H. C. Small, Olney, Ill., and the Rev. E. J. E. Schreck, Chicago.

RUBINO TELLS WHY HE ACTED

Selected Leopold Because He Treated Princess Stephanie Very Badly.

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Brussels, Nov. 17.—Rubino, the would-be assassin of King Leopold, has confessed that his motive for killing the aged libertine was on account of his inhuman treatment of Princess Stephanie. He said that he also wished to show the anarchists of London that he acted instead of waiting as did they. He would have killed King Edward had it not been for the fact that he was loved by his people. In Rome he is known as an advanced socialist and a dangerous man. He was given a long sentence in 1893 for stealing, but escaped to England. He had been expelled from the anarchistic ranks of the English society. At one time he was in the Italian army.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES.

General Booth was given a hearty reception at the Chicago press club. Major General Chaffee reached Chicago, direct from San Francisco. Capt. Edward Williams, the fugitive Chicago tax fixer, is said to be about ready to return.

President Edward Schurman of Cornell, spoke at Boulder, Colo., on coeducation.

All denominations in Chicago have called a convention to deal with reforms in Sunday school work.

An unprecedented volume of freight to be handled in Chicago has caused a serious delay to the shippers.

Russian statesmen fear that the malades of the czar and his brother, the heir to the throne, will end fatally.

Attorney Bishop said that he had some surprises to spring in the Moffitt-Pike case, now on trial in Chicago.

President Hught of the Northwestern Railroad company, denied that the company would extend its lines to the coast.

A resolution before the American Federation voiced the belief that the time is ripe to organize the school teachers in all parts of the country.

President Mitchell continued his testimony before the coal strike commission at Scranton, being cross examined by the attorney for the miners.

W. J. Bailey, the governor-elect of Kansas is said to be a confirmed bachelor, and his private secretary, may occupy the \$70,000 mansion in Topeka.

An outline has been made of the defense to be followed in the support of President Gormley of the Chicago Masonic Temple, charged with tax.

Officials of the Chicago Teachers' Federation favor the idea of a national union of grade teachers to be affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

Secretaries Hay and Root conferred as to the Cuban treaty, and the disposition seems to be to force immediate action on the part of the insular government.

Suggestions were heard before the National Grange in session at Lansing, regarding the best methods of dealing with the trust remedy, and opposing the ship subsidy.

Friends of Elgin, Ill., academy were greatly disappointed to learn that William Wing, who was said to have left that school a large sum, made no such provision.

Thirty-eight bids have been submitted for the site of the new up-town postoffice in New York, the price ranging from \$1,500,000 to twice that amount.

It is believed that plans have been made and are being carried out in Nebraska, to rob the government of millions of its most valuable lands, and that these plans involve wholesale perjury and fraud.

An automobile stopped at Fountains-Louvet, France, and the traveler got out and left a package by the road after which he rode off at full speed. The package was found to contain an infant and a note saying that the child was of royal birth.

Justices of the United States supreme court, who obey an unwritten law that a judge should avoid politics, expressed their regret that recent votes in Chicago should have brought the bench under censure.

HONOR THE DEAD CHINESE VICEROY

Foreign Representatives Attend the Funeral of Liu Kun in Shanghai.

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Shanghai, Nov. 17.—The funeral of the late Liu Kun took place yesterday and all the foreign representatives paid honor to the departed celestial statesman.

A Shooting Incident.

A correspondent writes from Beltingham, England: "A friend of mine was out shooting and shot an old blackcock. She towered to fifty yards high and then fell on to a grouse which must have been lying in the heather. The grouse seemed quite stunned at first, and went round and round, snapping its wings, and then flew away, apparently none the worse."

HAS CHANCE TO ESCAPE DEATH

Albert Patrick, Now Under Sentence for Murder, May Have a New Trial.

APPLICATION MADE

It Is Claimed That Evidences Which Establishes His Innocence Has Been Found.

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) New York, Nov. 17.—Application will be made today before Recorder Goff for the reconsideration of the death sentence passed upon Albert Patrick upon the grounds that new evidence establishing his innocence has been found.

Under Death Sentence. Albert Patrick is at present at Sing-Sing under sentence of death. His trial which was a long one convicted him of murdering his benefactor in order to obtain large sums of money which he left him in his will and personally.

Forged Checks. At the time of the trial it was claimed that Patrick had also forged his benefactor's name to large checks and had attempted to have them cashed a day after his death. It was also claimed he had forged the will giving him the bequests.

The Valet's Story. The valet of the dead man assisted the prosecution in their work by confessing to aiding in the crime and what portions had been used to kill the millionaire.

MOROCCO REVOLT MAY END SOON

Pretender to the Throne Made Prisoner, and a Large Army in the Field.

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Tangiers, Morocco, Nov. 17.—According to a report from Fez, the imperial troops have succeeded in putting down the uprising and have captured the pretender to the throne. It is said that the entire Moorish army of twenty-five thousand men, headed by the Sultan, are in the field to put down the Berber tribes, where the trouble originated.

ROOSEVELT SETS WASHINGTON PACE

He Prefers the Horse to the Automobile, and Refuses to Ride in One.

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Washington, D. C., Nov. 17.—President Roosevelt's refusal to ride in an automobile and his decided preference for a horse back ride has made it the fashion to ride horseback.

LONDON BUYING ARGENTINE MEAT

South American Shippers Are Now Cutting in on the Meat Trade.

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) London, Nov. 17.—The position of the beef trade in this country makes it impossible to secure enough beef from the United States and cattle from Argentina are being shipped in for killing.

Swiss Glaciers.

In Switzerland the studies of many years have determined the fact finally that the glaciers are not only steadily receding, but that their rate of recession is becoming greater each year. There are only a few glaciers that still grow. The Voveye glacier in Canton Wallis is the only one that has increased since 1892. The famous Rhone glacier has receded almost 800 yards since 1876.

A Whistling Moth.

A whistling moth is an Australian rarity. There is a glassy space on the wings, crossed with ribs. When the moth wants to whistle it strikes these ribs with its antennae, which have a knob at the end. The sound is a love-call from the male to the female.

The "Pathfinder's" Widow.

The name of Jessie Denton Fremont, the aged widow of the "Pathfinder," was the first to be entered on the new register of the Fremont hotel, recently opened in Los Angeles and named in honor of her husband.

LESSONS FROM LINCOLN'S LIFE

WHY THE MARTYRED PRESIDENT WAS SUCH A POWER.

NOT THE RESULT OF CHANCE

Lincoln Gained Power by His Own Earnest Effort—Able Sermon by Rev. Denison.

Continuing his series on the lessons from the lives of great men, Rev. Robert C. Denison spoke on the life of Abraham Lincoln to a large congregation at the Congregational church last evening. The one lesson which the speaker emphasized was that Abraham Lincoln's great power was not the result of chance or luck but of patient, persistent effort on his part.

His Life No Mystery
Such a life was Abraham Lincoln's. His name is so honored and revered. He has been called the most marvelous man in the 19th century. When Alexander II, Czar of Russia, heard of his assassination he said: "It cannot be true. He was the noblest man alive."

His life was made up of the same elements of virtue and power that make up the lives of other men.

He Helped Himself
It has been said that Abraham Lincoln cannot be explained; that God needed a man and raised him up. God did raise him up but he raised himself up. God had a great deal to do with the making of Abraham Lincoln, but Abraham Lincoln had a great deal to do with making himself.

Was a Statesman
One of the strongest elements in his life was his power to get at the truth, to penetrate to the heart of things. This is the greatest power a statesman can have. It was Abraham Lincoln's clearness of thought that first brought him before the eye of the nation. He issued the emancipation proclamation at the opportune moment, when foreign sentiment was against the North. When the English common people realized that the north was struggling for human rights, all the aristocrats in England could not force them to take sides against the north.

His Oratorical Power
He was a clear-headed man because as a boy he thought things out and tried to think things out right. He was a great orator although the world does not think so much of him as an orator as of his other qualities. In his debate with the famous orator, Douglas, he proved the stronger man of the two. The secret of his power as an orator may be found back in Indiana when as a boy he practiced speeches to the trees and debated with the other boys on political questions. Back of his oratory was painful study, patient plodding, persistent practice.

The World Marvels at His Literary Style
Where did that pure literary style come from? See the boy reading over and over the few books he could get hold of, writing out the choice parts, which he could not remember and studying them patiently and persistently. It was there that he gained his literary style.

Well Beloved
It was said of Abraham Lincoln that he was the best loved man in the nation. What made people love him? There was nothing magical about it. He was a patient man. During the civil war he was probably the most burdened man of any since Christ. Men maligned, criticized and reviled him, but he never reviled back or said a bitter word. He was one of the most kind-hearted men. He dealt gently and justly with all men, even his enemies. He was not above his soldiers and many stories are told of his tender heart.

Firm But Gentle
He was firm. If he had to be, but he was gentle and loved by all men. Why was he so loved, why is his picture in American homes and his memory enshrined in the hearts of the people? It was because he loved men himself. There is no way to be loved by men except to love men. There is no mystery, no secret about it. To be loved is vastly more than to be honored or esteemed.

His High Courage
He had a marvelous and lofty courage. Where did his power come from to do right? He practiced with his conscience. This is the single lesson from his life for the American people and especially for the young men. If men see anything good, beautiful or worth having in this life, do not imagine that it comes by chance or luck. The good things in Lincoln's life came from his energy and because he made every day count for something. The lesson of Christ's gospel is that God will help men but over it is the greater lesson that God helps men who try to help themselves.

Appropriate Music
The chorus choir sang: "To Three, O Country," "The Star Spangled Banner," with solo by Mrs. McCarthy and "The Shadows of the Evening Hour." Mrs. McCarthy's sympathetic voice was heard at excellent advantage in a solo, "Beyond the Gates of Paradise." The service with the singing of "America," by the choir and congregation.

Real Estate Transfers.
W. H. Strook and wife to Wm. H. Irwin, D. P. lot 11-12 Strong's 3rd add. Beloit, Vol. 16040, \$22.
Andrew R. Ball and wife to Nellie E. Osborn lot 6-12 Union and Beloit, Vol. 16040 \$5.20.
Mary E. Morrison to Mary Jane Hever, lots 17, 19, 20-22 Yates add Beloit, \$1.20.
Nellie E. Osborn to A. R. Ball, lot 17, 19-21, Vol. 16040, \$1.20.

A CARD
We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Green's warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

J. P. Baker, Geo. E. King & Co., E. B. Helms, Smith's Pharmacy, People's Drug Co., H. Rabous & Co., Jansville, Wis.

QUEER PRANKS FOR DREAR NOVEMBER

Strawberries Ripen and Flowers Bloom Out of Doors—Winter May Be Severe.

With strawberry vines covered with blossoms and fruit, both green and ripe, with pansy beds in full bloom, with lilac bushes and maple trees budding for leaves and with the majority of people still wearing summer underwear and fall wraps, it seems very little like the regulation middle of November, even though skies are gray and gloomy.

November Strawberries
Saturday afternoon W. H. Howard, of the town of La Prairie, brought three large clusters of strawberries, which had been picked from his vines, into the Gazette office. The berries were as large as the first crop and some of them were nearly ripe. Several people in this city have a second crop of strawberries on their vines and at least one berry bed in the city is literally white with blossoms.

Late Fall Flowers are Still in Blossom
In the garden shrub, the pansies are especially fine, being large, plant and rich in coloring. Trees and bushes evidently left the spring time has come again for the sap has returned to their branches and they are covered with leaf buds.

Looks For Severe Winter
Dr. William Horne, who is authority on local history for the past fifty years and especially on corresponding weather conditions, says that this fall closely resembles the autumn of 1851. He was in Chicago at that time and the winter which followed was the most severe ever experienced in this section of the country. During the winter the mercury was on very friendly terms with thirty degrees below zero.

GAME INTERRUPTED BY ALTERCATIONS

Fifth Ward Plays First Ward, and Disputes Between Players Result—Fifth Ward Wins.

Members of the Fifth Ward football team claim the championship of the city. In a fiercely fought contest at Goose Island yesterday afternoon they won the deciding game of a three-cornered series with the First Ward representatives. The resultant score stood eleven to six. Nearly two hundred and fifty witnessed the battle which began in a drizzling shower.

Both teams have a number of heavy men who put up a hard game. For the Fifth Ward aggregation, the two Hoosiers were the stars, while Bolden and McNitt won the honors for the vanquished. At times the rivalry became so fierce that nothing short of "dirty work" satisfied the players, and the gallery, which was largely partisan, urged the men on to the fight.

At one time the game was temporarily called off in order to allow two of the contestants to settle their disputes. One of them accused the other of slugging. To an unbiased observer, the justice of the charge was self-evident, although the fault did not all lie on one side. The other seemed to resent the implication, and prepared to support his side of the argument by the use of bodily force.

Men Clinch
A ring was cleared and the disputants clinched, but after a moment decided that the matter might as well be dropped. The men returned to the contest to fight it out under the rules of the gridiron.

Both of the scores of the winning team were made in the second half. Heenan making both touchdowns, and kicking the one goal which was made. The First Ward team succeeded in running the leather over the Fifth Ward line for a single touchdown, kicking a goal immediately after.

The Line-Up.
FIRST WARD: Position, FIFTH WARD (11) Curley, center;.....Springfield Kruger, right guard;.....Wm. Hoosier, left guard;.....Campbell Wagner, right tackle;.....Lightfoot Joyce, left tackle;.....Hoskins, right end;.....Marshall, left end;.....Heenan (Capt.), Daily, left half;.....Lindell, right half;.....Marshall, full;.....Allen, left half;.....Campbell, full;.....McNitt, full.

GOOD ATTRACTION AT OPERA HOUSE

Katherine Willard, in "The Power Behind the Throne," Appears Tonight.

The management of the Myers Grand has secured an important theatrical attraction for tonight, when Katherine Willard and Edward C. White's well-known company will present for the second time in Jansville "The Power Behind the Throne," a four act romantic drama by Theodore Kremer, founded on Schiller's famous classic "Kabale und Liebe." "The Power Behind the Throne," which has scored an emphatic success wherever the play has been produced, abounds with thrilling situations, powerful scenes and strong dramatic climaxes, legitimately brought about, and is mounted with the most elaborate scenic production ever given a romantic drama. Everything necessary to produce beautiful and historically correct pictures is carried by the company, including the furniture which was modeled and built from correct drawings.

Takes Carbolic Acid.
Eureka, Kan., Nov. 17.—M. M. Wheeler, aged 59 years, a wealthy farmer and stockman, committed suicide by taking carbolic acid at his home in North Eureka.

Increases Capital Stock.
Dover, Del., Nov. 17.—The Union Construction company of Kansas City, Mo., filed a certificate here, increasing its capital stock from \$1,500,000 to \$2,000,000.

Joseph Roemer, one of the leading farmers of Manitowish, will remove to California.

LARGE CROWDS ATTEND CHURCH

THE LAWYER-EVANGELIST SPEAKS THREE TIMES ON SUNDAY.

CHOIR OF LITTLE CHILDREN

His Morning Subject Was, "First Steps in Christian Life"—A Pleasant Musical Service.

Every seat in the Baptist church was filled on Sunday morning. In the evening nearly as large an audience was attracted to the revival services, conducted by C. N. Hunt, the lawyer-evangelist.

Mr. Hunt is meeting with growing favor after each meeting, and crowds are expected at the services, which will be continued during the coming week.

In the afternoon Mr. Hunt addressed a large meeting for men at the Y. M. C. A. building. During the coming week the subjects assigned for the five nights are as follows, no meeting being held on Saturday: Monday, "The Leprosy of Sin"; Tuesday, "The Doubter Convinced"; Wednesday, "Danger Signals, or Evils Besetting Our Youth"; Thursday, "Convicted, but Not Converted"; Friday, "God's Balances."

Two Large Chorus
Under Mr. Roscoe King's efficient leadership, two chorus choirs had been drilled to furnish the music of the morning and in addition, the regular quartette sang one number. The mixed chorus choir which has sung throughout the week, and the Sunbeam Chorus, of about fifty children, gave several new songs, showing clearly the effect of Mr. King's tutelage during the past week. The rehearsals for the children will be continued almost every afternoon during the coming week.

The quartette sang Schaecker's, "Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken," each of the four parts taking the solo passages acceptably.

Rev. Vaughan, the pastor of the church, read the scripture passage and offered prayer.

A Logical Discourse
In his discourse, or it might be more accurately termed his argument, the evangelist spoke of the "First Steps in the Christian Life." He avoided all doctrinal or theological discussions and confined himself simply to those points which would prove of interest to every member of the congregation. Mr. Hunt does not pick out a few persons, and talk over the heads of the rest. He adapts his style of talk to the average individual, making his sentences simple and forceful, and omitting all unnecessary phrases. His addresses are especially free from extravagant or antagonizing generalities which would mark him as an extremist.

The Talk
Mr. Hunt began his address by expressing the hope that his language might be simple and direct. He hoped to be able to state what the first steps in entering the Christian life were in such language that even the members of the Sunbeam choir could not misunderstand him.

The Text.
The text was from the Second Corinthians, the fifth chapter and seventh verse: "Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature; old things are passed away; behold all things are become new."

The Old and the New
There is a vast difference between that which is new and that which is old. There is a decided distinction between an old garment and a new one, and a similar article which is new. There is exactly the same distinction between the old and the new life. When the article has become old, and is unserviceable, it is thrown away. The same should be true of old life.

The Case of the Libertine
It is commonly admitted that the drunkard, and the impure man or woman the criminal should have changed lives. But it is not simply for these individuals that the new life is prescribed. Nicodemus was told that he needed to have this regeneration in his life. And yet Nicodemus was accepted as an honorable and an upright man. But Christ sees farther into the man, and calls for the changed life as much in the case of the moderately good and respectable citizen as of the libertine.

Doctrine of Development
If we believe in progress and development, we must believe that there is a higher state of perfection possible for us. We do not all of us live our lives in the same way and so there is no carefully prescribed course which all must follow in the minute details. But one main fact is laid down clearly. The general change must partake of the nature of a rebirth.

Not Always Abrupt
Many expect a great shock, similar to fever or ague to transfer them from the one state to the other. It is as likely to come in the form of an imperceptibly powerful change of mind.

It is not greater knowledge that is needed along this line but greater willingness. Men are made in the image of God, free moral agents. But God is willing to help in the making of the right choice. If God can make a man's motives and affections pure and higher, the man should not hesitate to accept the blessing.

This verse expresses clearly the ignorance and carelessness which are responsible for the unchanged condition of many.

"Years I spent in vanity and pride, Caring not my Lord was crucified, Knowing not it was for me He died on Calvary."

Christ All Powerful
Many are so impetuous and yet so vacillating that like Peter, they follow afar off. At the last they may even go so far as to deny publicly the Christ. But Christ changed Peter. Christ changed Paul. After Paul had become changed he claimed no strength for himself. He laid all credit to the God who strengthened him. Thomas required that he be shown the nail prints and the gash in the side before he would be convinced.

But when he had used the powers of judgment and will which God had given him, he saw and believed. His life was changed.

Mr. Hunt continued to give example after example of the transforming power of Jesus Christ. He used not simply examples from the Bible—although these were in the majority—but also those of the present time, closing with an exhortation to accept the transforming power of Jesus Christ and accept it speedily, now.

WILL HAVE GAME WITH HORLICK'S

Famous Team from Racine Will Play Jansville on December 3—Game Arousing Interest.

A. H. Barnes, representing the famous Horlick's polo team of Racine was in the city on Saturday night. His purpose was to arrange a game with the locals. After a consultation with Manager Fred Blakeley, December 3 was decided upon for the contest, the game to take place at the local rink.

A Strong Team
The Horlick's, with the recent addition of several well-known Eastern players, have one of the strongest teams in the West. They are members of the Western Polo League, consisting of teams from six large cities. Their schedule for the coming season, which has just begun, embraces eighty games, forty of them away from their home city.

Hope For Old Reputation
Enthusiasm is running high among the locals. In the game held last Friday evening it was shown clearly that there is the making of a first class team in Jansville. The men were still a little awkward with the sticks, and slow on their feet, but that was expected in the first game. Jansville has the reputation of having once had a team which could take second place to almost none, and was known throughout the state and the entire West, as almost unequalled as the home of polo. Those who are most interested in the game this year, hope that the old record may be regained.

Good Games Needed
Jansville stands ready to support a polo team with its old time enthusiasm, providing the team can play. Even the most ardent polo fan would not care to sit on the side lines and watch a number of wooden men listlessly skating about the rink. But a good, live polo game would attract as great numbers as ever, and the players hope to be able to furnish the team to do it.

Prince Is to Marry.
London, Nov. 17.—The crown prince of Siam, Chulalongkorn Rajavidyalok, is engaged to marry the eldest daughter of the emperor of Japan. The prince is 14 years of age.

Bandit Is Identified.
Elyria, Ohio, Nov. 17.—The burglar shot and killed by Superintendent Hillen of the Cleveland, Elyria & Western railway has been identified as Pat Kinney of Pittsburg.

American Phones in Russia.
St. Petersburg, Nov. 17.—An American tender to install underground telephones in the city for \$157,000, has been accepted by the authorities.

Joliet Bank Starts Business.
Joliet, Ill., Nov. 17.—The Citizens' National bank, organized last July, has opened its doors. The deposits for the first day aggregated \$100,000.

Honor for Prof. Gibbs.
Munich, Nov. 17.—Prof. Josiah Willard Gibbs of Yale university has been elected a corresponding member of the Munich Academy of Sciences.

Losses in French Strike.
Paris, Nov. 17.—It is estimated that the strike of the coal miners in northern France has cost each side about \$3,165,000.

George Alfred Henty Is Dead.
London, Nov. 17.—George Alfred Henty, the author and former war correspondent, is dead.

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SALVATIONISTS TO HEAR BOOTH

Local Officers of Salvation Army Make Trip to Chicago to Attend Meetings.

Captain Foster and Lieutenant Collier, two of the young ladies connected with the Salvation Army in this city, have gone to Chicago, to be gone about a week, returning on Friday. They have gone with the purpose of attending the meetings which are being held in that city under the leadership of General Booth, the commander-in-chief of the Salvation Army. They hope to be able to obtain many valuable suggestions on the best methods of conducting their work.

As soon as they have returned, Lieutenant Bell, another of the ladies of the local force, will leave for Minneapolis to attend meetings in that city. From that place she will go to Redwood Falls, Minn., her home, to spend a few days visiting her relatives and friends.

Meteor Falls at Lexington.
Lexington, Ky., Nov. 17.—A meteor of great brilliancy fell here. The weather bureau reports that it was consumed at an altitude of 300 yards. The light produced was intense for several seconds, and considerable excitement was caused.

Will Not Retire.
St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 17.—Rev. Father H. J. Hagen, chancellor of the Belleville, Ill., Catholic diocese, says that the report that Rt. Rev. John J. Janssen had resigned his bishopric to enter a Franciscan monastery is a mistake.

Assault on Operator.
Edwardsville, Ill., Nov. 17.—Edward Smith, night operator at the Clover Leaf railroad station, was found dying at his key. He was barely able to nod when asked if he had been assaulted and then became unconscious.

State Board Settles Strike.
St. Joseph, Mo., Nov. 17.—The state board of arbitration forced a settlement of the strike at the Buell woolen mills. The working day is to be reduced from eleven hours to ten.

Champion Tumbler Dies.
Richmond, Ind., Nov. 17.—William Conwell, several years ago widely known as the world's champion lofty tumbler, is dead here in Eastern Indiana Hospital for the Insane.

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Several short runs follow the kick and then Casey hurdles for seven yards, and Galbraith goes around the left for eight. Casey followed with a case two, Casey one, Milwaukee one, Casey one-half, and Milwaukee one. Time is called for a Milwaukee man laid out temporarily, and Cas-

Dr. Parker Near Death.
London, Nov. 17.—A bulletin issued by his physician says the condition of Dr. Joseph Parker, pastor of the Temple, who has been seriously ill for some months, has now become critical.

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WISCONSIN WEATHER FORECAST

Generally fair tonight and Tuesday; warmer Tuesday.

CROP CONDITIONS

The November number of the Crop Reporter, issued by the secretary of agriculture contains some interesting statistics.

In twenty-four states where the average of corn exceeds 1,000,000 acres, the average yield except in half a dozen states, exceeds the average of 1901-02. The quality, while not up to the crop of 1900, is better than last year.

The yield of potatoes is much heavier than the 1901, and above the average of the past ten years.

Hay averages one and one-half tons per acre the country through, which is also better than it has been for the past two years.

The ten states that produce the most tobacco, also show a healthy increase, while the quality is above the average.

Apples are far in advance of the average for the past ten years, with Kansas in the lead for quantity.

The abundant crops, augmented by good prices, means substantial wealth to millions of farmers and an abundance of money for the channels of trade, as soon as it can be distributed.

The man in business, as well as the farmer, has occasion to rejoice in the prosperity that has come to the country through an abundant supply of cereals.

It is claimed by financiers that Wall street is the barometer of business. The claim may be true, so far as the visible supply of money is concerned, and it is also true in its relation to stock speculation, and other species of gambling, but the most reliable barometer of trade, is the farm.

The United States is a nation of farmers and will be for a century to come. When the farmer prospers business prospers, not only in merchandise lines, but in manufacturing as well. The factories of New England are dependent upon the west for a market, and the prosperity of any town or city in an agricultural district is always governed by the success of the farmer. Localities suffer from drought or from storm, but the whole country suffers when there is a general shortage of crops.

The outlook for the next year is good, because there is so much to sell in the way of farm produce. "It is a good time to make hay while the sun shines."

THE STRIKE COMMISSION.

The strike commission appointed by President Roosevelt to settle the trouble in the anthracite fields, is developing some interesting features in connection with their work. They have discovered that the man who spends his life twelve hundred feet under ground is entitled to more consideration than he has heretofore received, and the chances are that recommendations will be made for shorter work day and better pay. The claim is made that this class of underground work shortens life and that the men should be paid a wage that will not only enable them to live comfortably, but that will also put them in position to provide for a rainy day.

It is said that the average miner is a spendthrift and that he has no ambition to save. That may be true, but if it is, it makes no difference with the question of justice involved.

The examination of Mr. Mitchell, which has been long and exhaustive, reveals some conditions that are entitled to consideration. He says that the miners' children are deprived of an education because they are obliged to work for the family's support when they should be in school.

Mr. Mitchell claims that the Mine Workers' Union is not in favor of the boycott, and that if an agreement can be made similar to the one in the bituminous coal fields, that contracts will be kept, and strikes will not occur. It is safe to say that when the work of the commission is completed, that all differences will be satisfactorily adjusted.

AN OPTICAL ILLUSION

To be told that there are no canals in Mars is almost as surprising as if one were to be told that there is no man in the moon. The "canals" have been seen by Schiaparelli and other competent observers; they have been carefully mapped; most of them have been named. Their rectilinearities seemed so incompatible with any theory of causation save that of Martian handwork, that some audacious persons ventured to suggest that they were an attempt on the part of our planetary neighbors to open up communication with the earth through the universal art which worldlings arrogantly call geometry. It is no exaggeration to say that for the last ten years the canals have attracted popular interest to a greater degree than any other planetary feature. Mr. B. W. Lane, in the current number of "Knowledge," makes so bold as to declare that they do not exist. He says, in effect, that they are an optical illusion stimulated by the peculiar form of the Martian seas and continents. He has exhibited to a num-

ber of persons, at a distance of a few feet, drawings of Mars without the canals, and in a surprising proportion of cases the observers have seen the canals on the drawings exactly in the positions which Schiaparelli and other astronomers have seen them on the planet. Mr. E. W. Maunder has obtained very similar results from an examination of boys of the Royal Hospital School at Greenwich; although, it should be noted, he does not entirely accept Mr. Lane's conclusions. It is indeed difficult to believe that this optical phenomenon can have deceived all the trained observers who have mapped the canals in Mars, but the coincidence is a remarkable one, and indicates a factor of error in astronomical observation which has been scarcely suspected hitherto.

A STUDY IN FANATICISM

The march of the psalm-singing Doukhobors across the Canadian prairies is one of the most remarkable chapters in the history of fanaticism, and invites generalization upon the influence of race in determining the shape which religious enthusiasm shall take. Among the Latin races, as Macaulay long since pointed out, fanaticism is above all things amenable to discipline; the church has almost always been able to canalize and use it for its greater glory. Among the Teutons, which have also been for the most part the revolt of the individual conscience against the formulae of a system of religious jurisprudence. The Pietists were in revolt against Lutheranism in Germany and against Calvinism at Geneva. But the fanaticism of the Slav—whether Doukhobor or Stundist—is a thing apart, just as is his pessimism. Its note is perhaps mainly the literalism of the uneducated mind, desiring, not to get away from formulae, but to apply them with mathematical rigidity. The Latin and Teuton critic, with their compromises and accommodation, can neither sympathize with the mood nor, save dimly, comprehend it.

Anglo-Italian Trade

While a general all-round expansion is noticeable in the foreign trade of Italy, it must be admitted that the proportion of Italian commerce passing through British hands does not show a corresponding increase. The United States in recent years has made successful efforts to obtain a commercial foothold in the Mediterranean, and it is worthy of note that the value of American exports to Italy last year were fully thirty-five per cent. in excess of the average for the preceding five years. Germany, as might be expected, secures the largest portion of the custom of Italy, while England ranks second on the list. That the economic condition of Italy is steadily improving is evidenced by the fact that a large percentage of the imports is due to the renewed demand for raw materials required by the industries of the country, while an increasing portion of the export trade is made up of manufactured articles, especially silk and cotton goods. In our trade with Italy a distinct falling-off is noticeable in spinning and weaving machinery, coal, and ships built on the Italian account. Up to the present, however, the slackening of Anglo-Italian trade cannot be regarded as serious, but on the other hand it is quite sufficient to cause us to endeavor to make every effort to arrest the decline.

They are still fighting down in Africa and "Mad Mulhah" is making it warm for the English. The press dispatches will tell us all about it after the fights are two months old, but never mind they are fighting just the same.

American soldiers are said to be acquiring the bad habits of the Filipinos as regards drinking the bad and vile native whiskey and all because they cannot get invigorating beer and soft drinks at the regulated army canteen.

It is pleasing to know that Idaho will not send such a man as Dubois back into the senate. Is well-known statement that army and navy officers were but "charity boys" has condemned him in the eyes of all.

Still army officers in a position to know what they are talking about have decided that the old-fashioned army canteen is much better than drunken soldiers at low grog shops.

What democracy needs is some sort of a chemical agent that will unite the different elements together in one firm bond and wash out such disturbing elements as Bryan and Watter-son.

Good Mr. Jones of Arkansas will not be returned to the United States senate and the last of the good old followers of "The Boy Orator of the Platte" is wiped out of usefulness.

Hold-up men in Chicago are getting more and more daring over the bribery in which the police help them and divide the swag among themselves.

That coal strike commission is at work. Wait for results and hear both sides and then if you do not favor the miners you will be heartened.

How can King Alfonso come to America with those cabinet crises happening all the time?

People are waiting for the striker on the clock. They have the illum-

inated dial, but they want something that can be heard and not dimly seen.

Assassins are again bounding around Europe like monkeys. Saturday saw three of them arrested all charged with trying to murder three noble heads of European thrones.

Even old King Leopold is hated by his people and justly so when one thinks of his treatment of his wife during her life and his daughter at present.

Frank C. Andrews, the noted Detroit bank wrecker, has just begun a long term of work on the books of the Michigan Penal Institution.

Maybe Emperor Willie and his Uncle Eddie had a narrow escape from fanatics Saturday and maybe they did not. Time will tell.

David B. Hill is not saying much these days and Grover seems to have gone back to the woods of Princeton to ruminate.

President Gompers at least has some ice at the foot of his brain and others would do well to follow suit and place a big chunk there also.

President Arthur was also a hunter but the people let him hunt in peace and did not make so much of him as they do of "Teddy."

New York is to use nothing but parlor matches in the future. The good old kind that fills one's lungs full of sulphur and takes seven days to light.

Bulger is to be the new boss of New York state. No one with such a name could be anything else but a democrat.

It cost Mr. Collins, the prohibition candidate for superintendent of public instruction, only \$8.78 to find out that he was beaten.

Sir Thomas Lipton might win that much coveted tea cup with a fast automobile but with a yacht—never.

Speaker Cannon, that has a wholesome sound and one that brings dread and fear to the hearts of the bravest.

Just because people with gold braids would not speak to him an anarchist took a pot luck shot at a king.

Mr. Mudd of Maryland was recently re-elected to congress and yet his name is Mudd. Plain Mudd.

John Bull is making a brave but ineffectual attempt to brave the Standard Oil company.

Is it a possibility that it was a parlor match that set fire to Gotham's new bridge?

Has Congressman Cooper aspirations for the speakership himself?

Saturday was football day with a vengeance.

PRESS COMMENT

Des Moines Capital: The next time Masacani contemplates a tour of America he had better seek an interview and obtain a few pointers from Adeline's Patti.

Boston Globe: Uncle Sam still has land enough to give us a little farm. More than 900,000,000 acres awaiting entry and settlement. But the inhabitants of the cities, who have grown to love the lights and hurdy-gurdies, stick to their alley homes.

Omaha World-Herald: And now the sultan of Bacedol has abandoned his defiance and sends word to General Sumner that he does not want war. Perhaps he had been reading the code of war as annotated by General Sherman.

Kansas City Star: In declaring in favor of the canteen and singing in camp and in the garrisons, General Corbin practically admits the necessity of some consolation for the canteen which he recommends for soldiers. But this will hardly square him with the ladies.

New York World: The "pistol habit" receives attention in New York as a rule only when some one is dead or dying because of it. It is certain that a rigid enforcement of the law against concealed weapons would prevent many cases of development from potential to actual murder.

State Journal: Primary election reform is important but it will have to take the second place in the coming legislative session. The tax question will be paramount, and whether any important results are obtained or not, the legislature and the people generally will be furnished much valuable information upon the subject.

Cleveland Plain Dealer: The British cable between Canada and Australia has been completed, and Marconi thinks he will soon open a regular communication through the air between Nova Scotia and England. So the world grows smaller, in effect, and the brotherhood of the nations is brought nearer from out the dim future where poets have seen it in their dreams.

It might be imagined that Connecticut is called the "land of steady habits" on account of the exemplary conduct of its citizens. But it obtained that title in a different manner. John R. Matthews told just how yesterday at the Waldorf-Astoria. "In the early colonial times," he said, "it was the custom to provide every one who assisted at a dedication, church building or barn raising with a 'hooker' of good Jamaica rum. These functions, needless to

say were popular. When the charter creating Connecticut a crown colony arrived, there was, of course, a celebration. The first governor, John Winthrop, refused to provide rum, and in his inaugural address deplored the custom of tipping, saying "it did not lead to steady habits." Thereupon the Nutmeg State had a title to hand down to posterity."

"Strange as it may seem the expression 'Not worth a dam,' while embodied in our Anglo-Saxon profanity, has no profane origin." So spoke, with authority, Captain "Billy" Martin, at the Imperial yesterday. The captain is engaged in the China trade, and comes to this city frequently.

"Around Shanghai," said he, "for the purposes of trade are many small coins. The smallest and one of the least worth is the dam. It takes a wheelbarrow full of them to buy a cigar, and is, undoubtedly, the smallest coin in the world. Europeans over there when they want to describe something, less than worthless say, 'Not worth a dam.' The coin itself is of a copper alloy, and the size of our one dollar gold piece."

Among the anecdotes found in George Seton's budget is the following one told of the Pope and the fashionably attired lady. The lady appeared before Leo XIII in a very low-necked evening dress, and the Pope at once sent a cardinal to remonstrate with her. "The Pope, madam, is very old fashioned," he said, "and dislikes seeing any lady in evening dress. I, on the other hand, who have spent six years of my life as a missionary among the cannibals, am quite used to it."



Maude—And what do you do with yourself now that you have retired, doctor?
Doctor—Oh, I only kill time now.—Chicago American.



Scotter—Is your wife ever short in her accounts?
Dumly—Not much! You'd just ought to hear her try to tell a story.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.



"Will you love me when I'm old?"
"Well, don't I?"



The Poet—Yes, my book of poems is selling like wild fire.
His Friend—Er—yes—er—who's buying wild fire now?—New York Journal.

Mme. Loubet's Advanced Views.
Mme. Loubet, wife of the French president, believes in coeducation. At a recent meeting of a society of French mothers she brought down upon her head severe criticism in advocating American methods in training girls.

RUSHING WORK ON INTERURBAN LINE

Trolley Wires Are Being Strung and Ballasting of Road is Nearly Complete.

The Beloit, Delavan Lake and Janesville Interurban road is at work in good earnest fixing the trolley wires to the supports. They have a tower with a man on it that rolls along on the tracks, taking them from one guy wire to another where the connections are made. H. H. Clough, general manager of the road, is confident that the line will be ready for operation by December 1. The gravel train doing the ballasting is now at a short distance below the city and will complete the work in a short time.

DO YOU WANT ANYTHING?

GAZETTE Want Ads
ALWAYS BRING RESULTS

If you want to buy a piece of property or sell one; if you want work, or someone to work for you; if you have money to loan, or want to borrow; if you have lost or found anything, make it known in the want columns of the Gazette. It reaches more people than any other paper in Southern Wisconsin.

3 LINES, 3 TIMES FOR 25c

The following letters await owners in The Gazette counting room: "K," "F. O. H.," "Hons," "Farm," "C. H.," "L. Z."

WANTED—Printer at Gazette Job Rooms.

WANTED—Wood to saw. Have power machine, can take it to your premises. Work done quickly. Inquire at Franklin Hotel.

MOLER Barber College, Chicago, Ill., wants men to learn barber trade. Steady practice, expert instructions, tools presented, wages Saturday, board provided. Illustrated catalogue with souvenir comb mailed free.

WANTED—Six good tobacco strippers. Inquire of L. L. Beers, Black Bridge road, or telephone 340 old phone.

WANTED—Dining room girls at the Grand Hotel.

WANTED—Two good experienced chocolate-dippers. Inquire 137 West Milwaukee St.

WANTED—Place to work for board and room; one familiar with horses and cows; tobacco, etc. Albert Winslow, Box 1635, Janesville.

WANTED—Reliable person in each district to manage business for old home. Salary \$18 weekly. Expenses advanced. Permanent position. Good salary. Self-addressed envelope. Manager, 342 Canton Bldg., Chicago.

WANTED—Five or six-room house or flat, with modern conveniences. Two in family. Address with particulars, G. A. B., Gazette.

FOR SALE.

ROCK COUNTY MAPS or map books, \$1 each at the Gazette office.

FOR SALE, CHEAP—Old fashioned sofa, five feet long, Address A. Gazette.

FOR SALE—Am going to leave town. Must sell at once: 3 tons of coal, \$30; 1 cord of wood, \$25; a few household goods just bought. L. E. Johnson, No. 3 Augusta St.

FOR SALE, cheap if taken soon—New modern 8-room house, third ward, beautifully located. Address "M.," care Gazette.

FOR SALE—Marine boiler and engine. Inquire of Fay Bump, 275 Washington street.

FOR SALE OR RENT—A house at 200 Jackson street. Inquire of Wm. Rowe.

FOR SALE—To close out remainder of Rock County maps and map books, they are being sold at \$1 for choice at Gazette office. Big bargain.

FOR SALE, at a bargain—100 acre farm, situated in Rock Prairie, Buildings first class, Hayner & Beers.

FOR SALE—Old papers to lay under carpets. 5 cents a package at Gazette office.

FOR SALE—A good brood mare; or will trade for a good work horse. Inquire of E. A. Effe, on Park farm, Milwaukie, Wis.

FOR SALE, CHEAP OR EXCHANGE—Just outside city limits. Complete home, bath, furnace and 8 acres ground, will sell cheap or exchange for 40 to 50 acres. Address W. H. P. O. Box 1558, Janesville, Wis.

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished rooms, with bath. Inquire at 4 Milton avenue.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—A good 8-room house; city and soft water; gas. One stove heats all. Inquire at 118 Cornelia street.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms; modern conveniences; centrally located. Call morning, 123 South Jackson street.

FOR RENT—8-room house at 308 Locust St. Inquire next door south, or 208 South Academy street.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, centrally located. Modern conveniences. Bath, and steam heat. Address R. Gazette.

FOR RENT—House at 125 Glen St. Inquire of J. L. Beers, at the old jail.

FOR RENT—Seven-room house at 338 West Bluff street. Gas, stove, city water and large garden. Inquire on premises.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, with heat and light, within three blocks of the Myers house. Board, if desired. Address F. O. H., care of the Gazette.

FOR RENT—Hunted room with or without board. Inquire at 203 Court St.

FOR RENT—A furnished room with heat and light. Call at 322 Court St.

FOR RENT—Seven room house, \$7 per month. 50 Forest Park Bldg. Just off Huger avenue. Inquire at Tarrant & Kemmerer-Hilvery.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LOST—Sunday evening—Marinegale with brass buckle and initial J. on patent leather. Reward if returned to J. H. Murray, No. 6 N. Main St.

FOUND—Sum of money. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this notice. Call after 4 p. m. at 158 S. Main street.

MONEY TO LOAN—Those temporarily on increased wages should loan on this basis. Apply at 37 South Main street. J. P. Thompson.

NEW CITY HACK LINE We have started a City Hack Line and will meet all trains day or night. All calls will receive prompt attention. We hope for a share of public patronage. Phone 193, 393 J. Crall & Son Janesville

THE JANSVILLE BUSINESS COLLEGE Miss Cora O'Brien, a graduate of the Janesville Business College has entered the office of John Cunningham, as stenographer.

JANESVILLE BUSINESS COLLEGE. Jackman Building. Phone 777

PLENTY of CREAM

Is to be had on every pint or quart bottle of pasteurized milk. Every drop is absolutely pure.

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We aim to give each customer the best all around light and the most economical power for less money than an inferior service will cost.

Our Advice

About installing so as to get just the result is yours for the asking.

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THE ECONOMICAL CHRISTMAS STORE
A Wonderland of Gifts for young and old.

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See our New Display of Ornamental SEA SHELLS, 10, 15, 20c

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CROCKERY, CHINA, GLASS AND TINWARE.

See a Store packed full of almost everything in our line, at LESS COST than usual.

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10c a Lb

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Harry Schmidley, Successor to John Saultman.

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Open to all

No Conditions

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CIRCUIT COURT TERM IS OPENED

JUDGE DUNWIDDIE DISPOSED OF
SEVERAL CASES.

THE COURT ROOM IS IMPROVED

A Private Room for the Judge Has
Been Added—Cases on the
Day Calendar.

The November term of the circuit court was called to order this morning at 9 o'clock by Sheriff Maltress, His Honor, Judge B. F. Dunwiddie, presiding.

The circuit court room has been considerably improved since the last term of court. The judge has a very convenient private room directly behind the bench and the floor inside the railing in the space reserved for the attorneys has been covered with large rugs to do away with the noise made by the attorneys passing to and from the different parts of the room.

Cases Called

The jury cases disposed of were City of Janesville vs. John Doe, continued two weeks, David R. Godfrey vs. T. R. Godfrey, held open for change of venue. Town of Rock vs. C. M. & St. P. R. R., jury waived, Willis M. Tolles vs. the Town of Center, set for November 24. B. P. Hess vs. George W. Hall, set for Nov. 21, subject to further continuance. W. H. Rogers vs. J. L. Maltress for trial, D. J. Stark vs. J. Thompson was stricken from the calendar as not being properly at issue. W. F. McGaughey vs. J. L. Fisher, for trial, Fred O'Donnell vs. Chicago & Northwestern railroad, set for December 1, to accommodate defendant's attorney, Mary Monahan vs. Ann Cribbens, set for Nov. 1, day calendar Nov. 8. H. S. Sloan vs. Badger State Long Distance Telephone company, set for Nov. 2, if not settled. D. J. Luby vs. C. C. Bennett, venue to be changed. The cases of Ada R. Brunson, J. J. Edwards, W. H. H. Macdonald and F. D. Murdoch vs. Beloit, Delavan Lake and Janesville Interurban line, continued until issue of law is first settled.

Other Cases

The cases set on the day calendar are: 10, Mary Monahan vs. Ann Cribbens; 11, H. S. Sloan vs. Badger State Long Distance Telephone Co.; 23, W. H. Flint et al vs. D. K. Jeffers et al; 29, C. T. Dawson vs. Bridget Hanlon; 39, in the matter of the will of Edith Barry, deceased.

FIGHT IS ON OVER RAILROAD TOWER

St. Paul Company Moves It to New
Position and North-Western Tries
to Move It Back.

The St. Paul and Northwestern railroad companies are at loggerheads at present over the Academy street watchman's tower. The St. Paul Co. want the tower on one side of the street and the Northwestern on the other.

Last Thursday the St. Paul company on account of the track improvement around their new station moved the watchman's tower out of West Bluff street and Academy street over onto their property at the west of Academy street onto the end of their present platform.

Saturday the St. Paul men completed the foundation for the tower and bolted it securely to heavy timbers set in the ground.

For some reason, mainly because the tower was opposite their passenger station the Northwestern objected to the move and this morning set a force of men at work, fixing up the foundation for the tower at the point from which it had been moved. The men then went to work on the tower, unbolting it from the supports and jacking it up preparatory to moving it back across the street to its old place.

This did not suit the St. Paul people and a large cable was attached to the house and fastened around a telegraph pole on the St. Paul's right of way.

Foreman Anderson stated that the Northwestern would not move the tower back across the street until he had orders from Milwaukee. The St. Paul company has a large force of track layers and workmen employed around the new station and all are ready to combat any move on the part of the Northwestern forces to move the tower back to the east side of Academy street. In all probability the matter will be settled peacefully by the officials at headquarters, Friday, the St. Paul company was compelled to remove some curbing that was in West Bluff street, because it obstructed the street, but now the Northwestern company wishes to put the tower back almost in the middle of West Bluff street. In its present condition it does not encroach upon other street which was the aim of the St. Paul company in moving it.

Y. M. C. A. JUNIORS PLAY BASKET BALL

First Open Game of the Season Will
Be Played in the Gymnasium Next Saturday.

Two basket ball teams have been chosen from the Junior Y. M. C. A. gymnasium class to compete in an open game on Saturday. The class has been playing a series since it opened, between four squads, and the best players from these four will compete Saturday. The game will be open to everyone, no admission fee being charged. The parents of the boys who take part are asked to be present. The match will take place in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, seats being provided for the guests in the gallery.

New Directory On Sale

Copies of the new city directory can be secured at the Gazette office; price \$1 each.

NOTICE.

The Gazette is willing and pleased to publish all notices of lodge or society meetings, but it has found it necessary to make the rule that all such notices must be written and sent to the office before 11 o'clock of the day they are to be published. In the future no notices, except paid ones, will be received over the telephone.

FUTURE EVENTS

Dancing school social hop at Central hall this evening.

Monday club meets for Bible study in the Congregational church club room this evening.

Special evangelistic services conducted by Charles N. Hunt, evangelist, assisted by Roscoe King, gospel singer, at the Baptist church this evening. Topic "The Prophecy of Sin."

Katherine Willard in "The Power Behind the Throne" at the Myers Grand this evening.

Charles N. Hamilton's lecture on the coronation of King Edward, at the Myers Grand, Tuesday evening.

Y. P. S. dancing party at Central hall on Tuesday evening.

Woman's Catholic Order of Foresters' card party at Foresters' hall on Tuesday evening.

Salisbury orchestra on the Y. M. C. A. lecture course Tuesday evening.

Emmett Corrigan and the Players company in "The Prince of Dreams" at the Myers Grand, Thursday evening.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

Golf club party, Nov. 27.

Y. P. S. party tomorrow evening.

Good time tomorrow evening at the Y. P. S. party at Central hall.

Prof. Smith's full orchestra plays for the Golf club party Nov. 27.

The shoe buying opportunity of the year in Janesville presents itself at Spencer's in the selling of one famous Hanan \$6 shoes at the one price of \$3.50 per pair.

For genuine cheap bargains this is the first place you should visit.

T. P. Burns.

No more enjoyable dancing parties are held than those under the auspices of the Y. P. S. The next party takes place at the new Central hall tomorrow evening.

We are showing a large line of new dress goods in all colors that are considered cheap at 75c to 80c per yard, for 50c.

T. P. Burns.

Invitations will not be issued for the Golf club party this year. All who have attended former parties are invited to the event which takes place Nov. 27.

Five first class entertainments on the Y. M. C. A. course, including the Salisbury orchestra for \$1.00. Course tickets on sale at the Y. M. C. A. building, only a few left. The Salisbury orchestra tomorrow evening. Don't miss this good musical treat. Single admission 35c.

At the roller rink on Wednesday evening Lloyd, the famous bag puncher will give an exhibition that will be the equal of any ever presented in this city.

Any one cannot help looking well in our Monte Carlo clothes, as we are showing all styles, shapes, colors and lengths.

T. P. Burns.

The first Y. P. S. dancing party to be held in the new Central hall takes place tomorrow evening and you are invited provided you have attended previous parties held by this society.

Six dollar Hanan shoes at \$3.50 and Foster shoes at the same price are the shoe bargain offerings of the season in the Bower City at Spencer's.

Tomorrow evening at Central hall takes place the Y. P. S. dancing party. Prof. Smith's full orchestra will furnish the music.

There will be no extra charge at the roller rink on Wednesday evening of this week on account of the bag punching exhibition by Lloyd.

What better can the ladies of Janesville expect than the sale of the Foster shoe at \$5 for the uniform price of \$3.50 per pair. At Spencer's. Extra preparations have been made for the holding of the Y. P. S. dancing party which takes place tomorrow evening at the new Central hall.

No one can afford to miss the Salisbury orchestra at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium tomorrow evening. A musical attraction of twelve men with kettle drum and all the necessary instrumentation for a fine orchestra. Five more numbers on the Y. M. C. A. course. Tickets on sale at the Y. M. C. A. building. A few season tickets left for \$1.00. Single admission, 35c.

Don't fail to see Lloyd at the roller rink on Wednesday evening. No extra charge for this attraction. A good time for all who attend. The rink this season is being liberally patronized by the better class of citizens and it is all owing to the excellent management.

Goes To DeKalb: E. D. Bullock of Beloit, who has recently completed the new city directory, will go from this city to DeKalb, Ill., where he will compile a directory for that city. The work in the Illinois city was to have been started this morning, but Mr. Bullock was unexpectedly delayed.

GOES TO CHICAGO

W. W. Emmons, of The Wide Awake Store Will Leave Janesville

W. W. Emmons, who for the past five years has conducted the Wide Awake store in this city, is to leave Janesville, having made the purchase of a large department store in Chicago at the corner of Van Buren and Western avenue. Mr. Emmons will close out his business in this city by January 1 at which time he takes possession of his Chicago store. Since conducting the Wide Awake store in this city Mr. Emmons has made a success of the business in every branch. During the past two years he has been much in need of additional room and being unable to secure the same he now enters the Chicago field. The Wide Awake store was today closed for the purpose of making a general mark down sale which will be open to the public on Wednesday morning of this week. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Emmons are possessed of a host of warm friends in this city and vicinity who will regret much at their departure, but who will join in wishing them success in their new home and business.

LADIES' TEA WAS SOCIAL SUCCESS

MRS. ST. JOHN AND MRS. WATT
WERE THE HOSTESSES.

A LARGE, BRILLIANT COMPANY

Mrs. F. R. Parsons, of Toledo, Ohio, Greeted Old Friends—Cards Followed Tempting Supper.

No form of social entertainment for ladies is more popular than the five o'clock tea and one of the most delightful of these teas was given on Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. J. W. St. John, 161 South Jackson street, the hostesses being Mrs. St. John and Mrs. D. W. Watt.

Nearly one hundred of the society women of the city were guests on this occasion. The party was one of the most brilliant and for charming detail, perfect pleasure and absolute absence of formality the success of Saturday evening's gathering has never been surpassed in this city.

Mrs. Parsons Present

Little Miss Katherine Jeffris presided prettily at the door and directed the guests to the dressing rooms where wraps were laid aside. The receiving party stood in the front parlor, the hostesses being assisted by Mrs. Frederick R. Parsons, of Toledo, O., who is the guest of her sister, Mrs. D. W. Watt. Mrs. Parsons resided in this city for many years and her presence was a pleasant surprise to her many friends, adding greatly to the pleasure of the evening.

Handsome Decorations

After cordial greetings had been exchanged, the guests were seated at the small tables, which were daintily laid throughout the rooms. Mrs. W. H. H. Macdonald superintending this detail of hospitality for the hostesses. The cheerful, brilliantly lighted rooms of the St. John home were beautified by a lavish use of choice cut flowers. Chrysanthemums were the predominant decoration and great bunches of these artistic blossoms adorned every room. In some of the large bouquets different colors were used in daring and effective contrast, while in others only one or two tints were massed together beautifully. Deep red roses added a brilliant dash of color and the rooms were further beautified by the costumes of the well-dressed ladies, there being an unusually large number of strikingly handsome gowns worn.

A Dainty Supper

Shortly after five o'clock, tea was served, the delicious viands which made up the menu for the three course supper being faultlessly chosen for a tempting repast. The supper was excellent in quality and the hostesses were assisted in serving by Mrs. F. A. Capelle, and Misses Kate Fifield, Zella Harris and Franc Edwards.

Cards and Prizes

The balance of the evening was devoted to the enjoyment of six handed euchre at which the prize for the highest score was captured by Miss E. Louise Williams, who received a pretty pink fascinator for the head. Mrs. A. L. McIntosh was the fortunate winner of a handsome plate, the lucky number prize. Soon after the card playing ceased, the good-nights were said, being coupled with expressions of appreciation for a very happy evening.

FINAL GAME OF THE SERIES

Denison Cup Will Be Given to Winners of Tomorrow's High School Class Game.

Tomorrow afternoon the Sophomores and Seniors of the high school will meet to attempt to decide the possession of the Denison cup for the coming year. In order that there may be time to finish the match before darkness comes on, the game will begin promptly at 3:45. All of the afternoon recitation periods will be shortened in order to allow the players and students who wish to watch the contest to catch the half past three car. Both of the teams hold light signal practice tonight, and are as confident as they have been in the past of victory.

NO GAME HAS YET BEEN ARRANGED

The High School Team Has an Open Date for Saturday Next.

Manager Norris of the high school football team has been unable as yet to satisfactorily fill next Saturday's open date on the schedule. As the matter stood originally it was expected that Whitewater would be played on that date, but it would be preferable to play either Madison or Fort Atkinson, both of which are claimants of the state championship. Madison beat Janesville, and Whitewater tied the Bower City team. It is supposed that their reluctance to meet the locals is due to fear of the outcome of the contest.

Brotherton-Spieckerman

Miss Minnie Brotherton and Elmer H. Spieckerman, both of this city were happily married at Trinity church on Saturday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, the Rev. J. A. M. Richey officiating. Owing to the recent death of the bride's mother the wedding was strictly private and very quiet, the groom, having secured a special court permit.

The bride is the daughter of E. C. Brotherton, proprietor of the hotel at Johnstown Center. She has attended business college here and later served as stenographer for F. A. Taylor & Co. The groom is a compositor in the employ of the Gazette Printing company and came here two months ago from Delavan, where his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Spieckerman reside. The happy couple spent Sunday with the groom's parents, at Delavan, returning to this city where they will make their home. They have the congratulations and best wishes of many friends.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dolan of Milwaukee spent Sunday visiting Janesville relatives.

George Thurman of Evansville was in the city today.

J. P. Baker is in Findlay, O., on a business mission.

District Attorney Harvey Clark of Monroe visited the city today.

E. B. Hubbard of Evansville was in this city on business today.

Will H. Good of Rockford made a flying trip to this city today on business.

Mrs. E. D. Bullock of Beloit spent a few hours in shopping in this city today.

Al. Knoff has gone to Baraboo where he will play this evening, returning tomorrow.

Louise Nelthorpe has gone to Monmouth to visit relatives for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Sloan and son were the guests of Mrs. Sloan's father, H. D. McKinney, over Sunday.

Albert Smith is now representing J. Heinsen & Co., of Chicago, oyster dealers.

W. W. Winton, of Madison, district passenger agent of the St. Paul road, was in the city today on business.

Regular meeting of the K. O. T. M. Monday evening at East Side Odd Fellows' hall.

Ogden H. Fethers went to Edgerton this morning and will visit the Stone farm before returning.

T. D. Woolsey, J. C. Hood and S. W. Miles went up from Beloit today to attend the opening of the circuit court.

Mrs. R. J. Allen of Howard, Kan., who has been visiting her niece, Mrs. Frank O'Brien of this city, has returned to her home. Mrs. O'Brien accompanied her as far as Rockford.

Ed. Schmidley and Mrs. John Schmidley went to Chicago Saturday, the former returning by the evening train. Mrs. Schmidley is still in the city visiting a brother, who is ill.

Mrs. Frederick R. Parsons of Toledo, O., is the guest of relatives and friends in this city, her former home, for a couple of weeks. She is the guest of her sister, Mrs. D. W. Watt.

J. N. Richards, general sales agent for the Hough Porch Shade corporation spent Sunday in this city, the guest of Mr. Don Farnsworth. He left today for New Orleans on his winter trip.

Mrs. N. B. Robinson and family leave tomorrow for their new home in Dallas, Tex., where Mr. Robinson is engaged in business. Many friends regret their departure from this city.

Miss Monica Gagan spent Saturday and Sunday in Chicago, the guest of her sister, Miss Anna Gagan.

JUSTICE METED OUT BY JUDGE FIFIELD

Three Drunks Are Sentenced, and John Arkinson is on Trial for Larceny.

Chief Hogan had the usual Monday morning bunch before Judge Fifield this morning. Three cases of drunk and disorderly conduct and one of larceny.

William Brooks, the young man arrested last Friday for larceny on the Hughes farm at the south limits of the city was the first called. Officer Fanning arrested him Saturday for being drunk and disorderly and asleep in the park. Brooks claimed that he only took one drink from a bottle and as he had had no dinner it made him sick and he went to the park to sleep off the effects. The judge thought he ought not to go without his dinner, so sentenced him to pay a fine of \$2 and \$1.30 costs or spend eight days in jail where he would be fed.

James Hemming, a resident of Emerald Grove, as Chief Hogan said, "A prohibition town" was up for the first time for being drunk and disorderly. He pleaded guilty and was given a fine of \$2 and \$1.30 costs or eight days. He paid the fine and started at once for the farm.

John Hanson, a member of the "White Light" club and an old offender was up for being drunk and pleaded guilty. He was fined \$1 and \$1.30 costs, or ten days in jail.

John Arkinson was charged with the larceny of an overcoat from Frank McKewan, the janitor in the Hayes block. He pleaded not guilty and demanded a jury trial which was granted. He also wanted an attorney appointed by the court but the petition was denied. The case was set for three o'clock this afternoon. Arkinson admitted having the overcoat but claimed he bought it from a man in the building for fifty cents. He did not know the man's name but had seen him several times before. The facts of the case will be developed later.

DIFFICULTY OVER SEWER IS SETTLED

City Makes Satisfactory Promises to Blodgett Milling Company and Will Resume Work.

The question of the Wall street sewer entering the race under the Blodgett mill has been practically settled and the sewer will be completed at once. An agreement has been entered into to the effect that if the syndicate that now owns almost all of the race property insists on filling in the race then the city shall see that the sewer is continued on into the river. Mr. Blodgett was anxious to protect his company so that in case the race was filled up they would not have to go to the expense of lengthening the sewer.

Decision For Interpleader: Justice Reeder gave judgment in the complex Richter Bros. against Sidney Carhart case, which was on trial last week, and was held open for a decision, in favor of the interpleader, Mrs. Belle White, \$59 was the amount which the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul company, garnished in the suit, were ordered to pay to her, and \$6 to the plaintiff. The costs of the action were taxed against the defendant, Sidney Carhart.

TEACHERS WILL MEET HERE SOON

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ROCK
COUNTY ASSOCIATION

AT HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING

Speakers Have Been Chosen, and the Program Is Complete—To Meet on December 6.

Rock county has one of the largest Teachers' associations in the state, and their annual meeting is always largely attended. This year the meeting will be held in this city on December 6, at the high school building. The program has recently been made out, and is now in the hands of the printers.

Meeting Held Here

H. C. Buell and F. E. Converse, superintendents of public schools in this city and Beloit; David Thorne and William Ross, county superintendents; Principal Loveland of Clinton, president of the county association; and the other officers of the association, made up the committee which had charge of the plans for the meeting. Their meeting was held in this city, and the program which they outlined will be followed.

Leaders Chosen

Among the speakers will be Supt. Hutton of the Institute for the Blind, President Salisbury of Whitewater Normal school, Prof. Schutta and White of the same school, and other prominent educators will speak. Miss Earhart of Whitewater will have charge of the kindergarten section, and Miss Brandt of the Washington school of the grammar department. Principal Clark of Edgerton will lead the discussions of the high school section.

Music Furnished

Music for the meetings will be furnished by the high school orchestra. Members of the grade schools, under the direction of Mrs. Hyde, will also aid in the musical part of the program, both at the morning and afternoon sessions. The meeting will continue all day Saturday.

Large Attendance Expected

An unusually large attendance of the city and country teachers is looked for. This annual meeting, which is always held on the first Saturday of September, has often attracted three to four hundred instructors and it is believed that the program this year will merit as large numbers.

Will Play At School: Before the end of this week the high school orchestra expects to make its opening appearance, the occasion being the opening exercises of the high school. An effort was made to induce them to play last week, but they did not consider themselves quite in concert form at that time.

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SHORT NEWS NOTES

Meet Tonight: Regular meeting of Rock River Hive, No. 71, L. O. T. M., this evening at 7 o'clock at East Side Odd Fellows' hall.

Meet Tuesday: All members of the Omega Council Royal League should be at the meeting Tuesday evening. Important business.

End Work Here: The bridge construction crew that have been at work on the "cut off" went to Belvidere today to begin work.

Repaired Roadway: The St. Paul railroad company yesterday removed the span of the North River street viaduct and replaced it with an iron span.

D. of H. Officers Meet: All officers and members of the staff of the Degree of Honor will meet tonight at East Side Odd Fellows' hall at 7:30 p. m.

Caps Are Here: The heavy granite caps for the new postoffice have arrived and will be placed in position as soon as the piers are ready for them. The "marbledized stone" has not yet arrived.

High Scores Last Week: On the Hockett alleys last week the bowling scores passing the two hundred mark were as follows: Sale, 201; Gibson, 211; Dunwiddie, 207, 211; Frye, 215; Hockett, 205, 207, 210, 214, 220.

Whist Club: The South Main St. Whist club was entertained Saturday afternoon by Miss Annie Jones. The affair was a surprise on Mrs. Sutton Norris. The first prize was won by Mrs. Lappin. The ladies were treated to an elegant three-course luncheon.

Bad Scalp Wound: Henry, the four-year-old son of William Ford, of 153 Racine street, received a bad cut in the forehead Saturday. He was playing around a partially completed house near his home, and fell from a scaffold four or five feet high, to the ground. A gash was cut in his forehead three inches long, which required about a dozen stitches. Dr. Merritt attended the boy.

Foundation Is In: The stone foundation for the Bannison & Lane bakery at the corner of High and Wall streets is completed and the workmen have started the brick work around the windows. The mason work will be rushed along as the weather is suitable.

Has Moved Goods: R. J. Whitton, former proprietor of the Lion Shoe store, was in the city Sunday, and made arrangements to move the last of his goods to Rockford where he is now in shoe business under the firm name of Hemming and Whitton. Mrs. William Corneau will take his daughter Dorothy to Rockford on Tuesday.

Honors for Wisconsin: Members of W. H. Sargent Woman's Relief Corps No. 21 are pleased over the announcement of the fact that Mrs. Harriet L. Welton, of Madison, the retiring department president of the Wisconsin W. R. C., was appointed as a member of the national executive board at the national encampment recently held in Washington. This is an honor sought for by all the states in the union and Wisconsin corps are justly elated over Mrs. Welton's appointment.

Use Association Building: As the result of the gift of Y. M. C. A. membership tickets by the Parker Pen Co. to their employees, the attendance at the association building has largely increased during the last few days. The bowling alleys, gymnasium, baths and reading rooms are all much more generally used by the employees of the company.

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PACKING PLANT IS DESTROYED

HOGS AND PRODUCT FOR FUEL

Drums of Ammonia Explode and Add Danger of Suffocation to Peril of Firemen—Flames Eat Through Heavy Fire Wall.

Sioux City, Ia., Nov. 17.—Fire destroyed the big packing plant of Armour & Co. at the stock yards here. The plant occupied three and one-half acres of ground. The fire started on the second floor of the fertilizer building. The loss, estimated by Charles W. Lennon, manager of the company, was total, or \$900,000. The cause of the fire was said by Mr. Lennon to have been either spontaneous combustion or an imperfect dryer. There is \$721,500 insurance on the property.

Many Out of Work.
Six hundred men will be thrown out of employment all winter by the fire. The fire was discovered by a watchman of the building, who only a few minutes before had pulled a messenger box on the floor where the flames started. The fertilizer building which was of brick, 12x60 feet, four stories high, was located between the beef-killing house and the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha road on the east. The floors and contents of the building burned like chaff. The roof fell in, and a second later the fire burst through into the beef-killing house. Instantaneously with the catching of the fire in the beef-killing house the cattle chute ignited and lasted about five minutes, when it fell with a great crash.

Ammonia Explodes.
Once in the beef-killing house, the flames began to dance madly. From this house to the oleo building was only a step, and when the fire started to burn the fire presented a most spectacular appearance. The big beef-house, where 500 carcasses, nearly dressed, were hanging, caught. By this time the whole plant, except the hoghouse, was a lake of fire. The roar was terrible. Suddenly there was a terrific explosion, followed quickly by another, and then another.

"These are the ammonia drums," shouted Mr. Lennon to Fire Chief Kellogg. "Tell your men to be careful. There is danger of suffocation."

Twenty-four drums of 100 pounds of ammonia each exploded before the reserve supply in the ammonia cistern was reached. That explosion almost razed the entire plant off its foundation.

Demolishes Fire Wall.
The flames burst through the heavy fire wall which separated the big hog house from the other buildings. The hog house was the last building to the north and largest of all. Steadily the fire crept against the wind, and through the office building. Not a scrap of paper of any kind was saved out of the office.

When the hoghouse caught all streams were turned in that direction. In the building were 3,500 dressed hogs, and 2,500,000 pounds of pork product. After the fire got a good headway in the hoghouse all hope of saving any part of the plant was abandoned. The shops, chicken packing plant, ice houses and ice runways, and smaller department-houses were consumed in quick succession.

GOVERNOR SHOWS NO CHANGE

Turning Point Is Not Reached, Though Expected by Doctor.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 17.—There is practically no change in Governor Yates' condition, although it was expected that Sunday would produce the turning point either for better or worse. The fever was slightly below 100 degrees, the lowest recorded since his illness became serious. In the course of the day the temperature went up to 101.25 and remained close to that point. Colonel John Oglesby, the governor's private secretary, has been admitted to the sick room for a few minutes each of the last three days. Governor Yates asked for the newspapers, but the request was refused.

LAY DEATH TO BEAUTY WASH

Complexion Medicine Is Said to Have Caused Acute Inflammation.

Pekin, Ill., Nov. 17.—The funeral of Mrs. Hattie Hart was abruptly stopped by Coroner Holmes for the purpose of ascertaining whether her death was caused by a beauty medicine. It is alleged that Mrs. Hart would soon have become a mother and that her death was due to acute inflammation caused by means of a "beauty wash." The beauty "doctor" says she does not know whether she sold any preparation to the woman, but that such preparations of her manufacture are harmless.

Carnegie Coming Home.

London, Nov. 17.—Andrew Carnegie plans to sail for New York on Nov. 19. He will probably receive the freedom of the cities of Limerick and Cork before embarking at Queenstown.

Joplin, Mo., Nov. 17.—A lake of several acres at the Cliff mine has been swallowed up. The mine still stands. Many of the miners refused to work in it, as it is settled a foot and is liable to sink.

Still Honor Wu Ting-Fang.

Wu Ting-Fang is to be the guest of Rawlinson, G. A. R., at Minneapolis, in December. Gov. Van Sant of Minnesota will preside over a banquet to be given in Wu's honor, after which the Chinese diplomat will make an address in the opera house.

CONFLICT OVER RICE'S LANDS

Property of Dead Millionaire Said to Cover Other Claims.

Austin, Texas, Nov. 17.—Information from Marble Falls, Burnett county, Texas, is to the effect that, aside from the Patrick trial, probably nothing connected with the immense estate of the late millionaire, William M. Rice, has created more public interest than the recent report of the official survey of the Rice league of land lying to the south of Marble Falls and bordering on the Colorado river. This survey widens the supposed bounds of the league to an enormous extent, taking in supposed holdings of others. It is the conflict of claims now imminent that portends the most interesting and important phases of the matter.

POET'S OLD HOME IS DESTROYED

Fire Wipes Out Residence of William Cullen Bryant.

New York, Nov. 17.—Scores of men and women whose names are familiar in society strove in vain to save from the flames the old home of the poet, William Cullen Bryant, at Roslyn, L. I. While neighbors toiled in a bucket brigade to aid the firemen gathered from all the surrounding villages, W. Butler Duncan, who lived with his family in the home, directed his efforts to stop the fire. All the furnishings of the house, including rare paintings, costly rugs and furniture and the original library of the poet, were saved, but the house itself was destroyed, together with Mr. Duncan's valuable collection of yacht models.

CLARK IS FREED OF MURDER

Man Who Killed Wife's Betrayer Is Acquitted by Jury.

Des Moines, Iowa, Nov. 17.—After twenty-four hours' deliberation a jury at Leon acquitted W. H. Clark of the murder of Dr. W. D. Duff, whom he shot. Mrs. Clark went on the stand and testified that Duff, who was her family physician, through persistent protestations of love, became intimate with her, which relation existed for a year prior to the murder. Mrs. Duff learned of it and demanded that Mrs. Clark and Duff elope. Mrs. Clark confessed all to her husband and obtained his forgiveness. Clark ordered Duff to leave the country at once and killed him when he refused to obey.

METEOR FALLS AT ROCHESTER

Aerolite as Big as a Barrel Attracts Many Curious Persons.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 17.—Early Saturday night a huge meteor fell in the barn lot of W. C. Murphy, who resides half a mile east of Springfield. The aerolite's brilliancy illuminated the country for a considerable distance as it flashed to the ground. Where it struck is a hole in the ground two or three feet deep. Early Sunday morning Mr. Murphy heard of the meteor, and many people flocked to the farm to see it. It is as large as an ordinary barrel.

MARION HIGH SCHOOL BURNS

Insufficient Water Pressure Deprives City of Educational Institution.

Marion, Ind., Nov. 17.—The high school building caught fire from the heating apparatus and was destroyed, causing a loss of \$60,000, on which there is \$40,000 insurance. The structure stood on a hill, and for that reason the water pressure was insufficient to make any headway against the flames. The high school students will be distributed in various other buildings, as no attempt will be made to rebuild this winter. The building was erected twelve years ago.

Oysters Cause Typhoid.

New Rochelle, N. Y., Nov. 17.—The eating of oysters dredged from the shores of Long Island sound, in too close proximity to sewage outlets, is being ascribed as a reason for the outbreak of typhoid fever in New Rochelle and other villages along the sound.

Deficit in French Budget.

Paris, Nov. 17.—The deficit in the government revenues, to the end of October amounted to \$43,600,000.

Hunting the Chinchilla.

The chinchilla, a little animal the size of a squirrel, is met with only in the Andes of Bolivia, Ecuador, Peru and northern Chile and is never found under a height of 9,000 or 10,000 feet. The skins are well seasoned with salt and made up into small packages for dispatch to the towns, whence they are shipped abroad.

Binding of Books.

Books should be properly bound. To deck Milton out in fine apparel is mere foppishness. Like a beautiful woman, he does not need it, and it confers no distinction on either. When to gild and when not to gild; when to be severe and when to be splendid; which authors to dress in plain attire and which to dress in purple and fine linen is a test of taste and of fine discrimination.

Prayer for Vermont Legislators.

Bishop Hall of Vermont, has authorized a prayer for use in the churches of the diocese in behalf of the state legislature, as none is provided for that body in the prayerbook.

DIVIDED TRAIN CRUSHES MANY

IS DUE TO GRADE CROSSING

Gateman Permits Trolley to Cross the Tracks When the Rear End of Broken Freight Is but a Block Away—Police Prompt to Aid.

Chicago, Nov. 17.—One man was instantly killed and twelve persons were injured, some severely, in a collision between a trolley car, with trailer, and a parted freight train on the grade crossing at Eighteenth street and Western avenue. William Melville, the man in charge of the gates, was held at the Human street station pending an investigation.

The second section of the broken train was following a block behind the first part, which had passed the crossing. The flagman had raised the gates and when the street cars were crossing the track the freight struck them and ground them to pieces, scattering the debris 200 feet.

The dead: Hugh Curran. The injured: Johnson Bacher, Louise Bacher, Thomas Brown, Joseph Dedrick, Mary Dedrick, Joseph Dedrick, Jr., Mary Dedrick, Frank Dedrick, Frank Gayle, Alexander Langford, J. E. Seglin, R. G. Wilson.

Raises the Gates.

When the street cars reached the crossing the gates had been lowered by the towerman, William Melville. A long train of cars was passing on the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy tracks, and the street car line was blocked for some time. Finally the last car passed and the towerman raised the gate. Conductor Langford of the motor car signaled to the motorman to cross. He turned on the power, and was half of the way over when he saw another car coming out of the darkness.

Tries to Avert Accident.

Gayle, the motorman, threw on all the power but before the two cars had cleared the track there was a crash, and the trailer had been struck squarely by the freight cars. Still in the rear of the freight cars was an engine pushing the train, the engineer, James Sullivan, believing that his part of the train was still attached to the forward end.

In an instant all was confusion in the street cars. The motor car broke loose from the trailer and was thrown to the side of the track. The passengers were thrown in all directions and many were bruised. Those who were seriously injured were in the rear car.

Hear Call for Help.

The freight train ground the trailer along 200 feet, completely demolishing it. As the car was broken to pieces the passengers fell to the sides of the track. Their screams for help were heard at the Thirtieth street police station, half a mile away.

All the injured were taken to their homes. The body of Curran was taken from the wreckage that was still lying in front of the freight train. The body was badly crushed. It was identified by Wilson, a friend with whom Curran was talking when the crash came.

Train Had Parted.

An investigation showed that the train had parted as it was being moved out of the yards of the railroad. The break occurred near the forward end and that part of the train, re-tieved of the load in the rear, shot ahead. Within three blocks the forward part had gained almost a block, and the engineers on both sections had no idea that they were independent of each other.

KILLS PLAYMATE WITH A BRICK

Fatal Ending to Quarrel Between Small Boys at Peoria, Ill.

Peoria, Ill., Nov. 17.—Harry Robins, aged 8 years, is dead as a result of an injury to the stomach caused by a brick thrown by Willie Curtis, aged 9. The boys were attending at the Columbia school and inmates of the home of the friendless. In a quarrel at recess Curtis hit his companion with the missile.

Smells Gun Muzzle.

Chillicothe, O., Nov. 17.—Near Greenland Pearl Justice and brother met William Smith, who was returning from a hunting expedition. Smith told Pearl Justice to smell the muzzle of the gun. Justice did so, and Smith pulled the trigger, blowing off the young man's head, killing him instantly.

Burglar Robs Express Safe.

Portland, Ore., Nov. 17.—At Newburg, twenty miles from this city, the station was broken into by a burglar and the safe robbed of an express package for the Chehalis Valley Mining company, which contained \$1,150.

Fines Town Boomers.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Nov. 17.—Postmaster E. C. Herenden of Baldwin, Mich., and H. C. Miller of Chicago were fined \$200 each for carrying on a lottery. They had a scheme to sell town lots at Baldwin by lottery.

Life Sentence for Murder.

Perry, Ok., Nov. 17.—Edward Martin was convicted of the murder in Garfield county, four years ago, of C. A. Fulton, and was sentenced to life imprisonment. Fulton's body was thrown into a straw stack.

Peculiarity of Aged Darkey.

One of the oldest men in the south is Uncle Joe Donaldson, a negro living at Gainesville, Ga., who has just passed his 110th year. One peculiarity about him is that he does not claim to have seen Washington.



Grace—I am told your sister has jilted her poetic fiancé.
Alice—No wonder. He wrote a poem about her and called it "Lines on Mary's Face."

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STATE OF WISCONSIN—IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY.

Harriet M. Jackson, plaintiff, vs. The Janesville City Hospital, defendant.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of and pursuant to a judgment of foreclosure and sale rendered in the above-entitled action in the Circuit Court for Rock County on the 31st day of September, 1902, in favor of the above-named plaintiff and against the above-named defendant and pursuant to a stipulation of the parties hereto, on file with the clerk of said court, I will, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of December, 1902, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon on that day, at the front door of the postoffice in the city of Janesville, in said county, offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder therefor for cash all of the real estate and mortgaged premises situate in the city of Janesville, Rock County, Wisconsin, and in and by said judgment directed to be sold and thereon described as follows to wit:

Lot number one (1) of Block number one (1) of Highland Park Addition in Janesville, according to the duly recorded plat thereof, and being the property known as the Oak Lawn public utility, in said county, on the first Tuesday of June, A. D. 1903, being June 2nd 1903, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted:

All claims against James M. Mansur, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.

All claims must be presented for allowance to said court at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 6th day of May, A. D. 1903, being May 6th 1903, at 9 o'clock a. m., or they will be barred.

Dated November 3d, 1902.
J. M. MALTRESS,
Sheriff Rock County.

WILLIAM G. WHEELER,
Plaintiff's Attorney,
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS—State of Wisconsin—County Court for Rock County—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the county court to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of June, A. D. 1903, being June 2nd 1903, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted:

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How Jackson Took the Fort

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LEE'S campaign in northern Virginia between the Rapidan river and Washington in August, 1862, resulted in the complete overthrow of the Federal army under General John Pope. The second battle of Bull Run, fought on the old field of 1861, the 29th and 30th of August, put an end for the time to the cry of the north, "Onward to Richmond!" It was a brilliant triumph for Lee. He had marched from the James river, where he had defeated Richmond against McClellan at the gates of the Confederate capital, to head off another enemy which threatened to attack Richmond on a new plan. This fresh enemy he had destroyed, McClellan had withdrawn his army from the lower James to the defenses of Washington, and suddenly Lee changed his plans. He decided to invade the north, to cross into Maryland and if possible win a new state to the Confederacy.

There was nothing to obstruct the Confederate march across the upper Potomac river. Washington was the danger point in the eyes of the Federal authorities, with Pope's army defeated and the enemy within a day's march of the city. A force lay at Martinsburg in observation on what was called the valley route from the heart of Virginia to the Potomac, and a garrison of 10,000 men was at Harpers Ferry, a fortified post three days' march north of Washington. Pope's broken battalions and McClellan's fresh divisions all lay within the cordon of fortifications around Washington city.

After burying the dead on the field at Manassas and sending away the wounded, Lee turned the heads of his columns toward Maryland, and on the 5th of September the whole force waded the river at unguarded fords between Washington and Harpers Ferry. The southern soldiers made the experience a jubilee, laughing, singing and shouting, while the bands at the head of the column played "Maryland, My Maryland."

There were many Marylanders in Lee's ranks already and to them the march was a happy going home, for they didn't look ahead to what might follow. The citizens of Maryland were not enthusiastic in welcoming the boys in gray, however. The column halted at Frederick city. The event was a novelty and the small boys and women turned out to see the soldiers. Soon after his arrival Stonewall Jackson was presented with a stalwart war horse, and the first time he mounted the charger the animal reared like a wild westerner and went over backward, rider and all. The day after the

Federal force evacuated on his approach. This force retreated to Harpers Ferry, crowding the place and crippling rather than helping the defense.

While Jackson planted his guns to cover the pent-up citadel on the Virginia side of the Potomac, Lee sent another column to invest the fortress from the Maryland side and thus the garrison was caught between two fires. The Federal commandant of Harpers Ferry, Colonel Dixon S. Miles, made the mistake of withdrawing that part of the garrison which held the heights on the Maryland bluffs from their trenches, and this left his garrison in a valley with enemies on the heights all around the fortress.

With the troops out of Martinsburg added to the original garrison, there were over 12,000 Federal soldiers cooped up on a narrow, low lying peninsula formed by the junction of the Potomac and Shenandoah rivers. Jackson aimed at a clean capture of the Federal post and therefore waited until it was completely surrounded before bringing on a crisis. When he learned by signal across the river that a supporting force led by General McLaws was in possession of the Maryland heights, he signaled to his division leaders the following dispatch: "Harpers Ferry is now completely invested. I shall summon its commander to surrender. Should he refuse I will give him twenty-four hours to remove non-combatants and then carry the place by assault. Do not fire unless forced to."

Even with the army signals and field telegraph in use forty years ago the commanders fought more or less in a fog. Jackson and his generals while investing Harpers Ferry knew nothing of what Lee was doing meanwhile. They knew that he had sent McLaws up on the Maryland side of the Potomac to help capture the Federal post, but nothing further of him nor of any enemy on the Maryland shore. About noon on Sunday, the 14th of September, the Confederate general in command on the line farthest down the river, General J. G. Walker, heard firing away off on his right in the direction of South Mountain, a difficult barrier north of Frederick, where Lee was supposed to be resting his army. Walker reported this to Jackson and asked permission to open his guns upon Harpers Ferry. Jackson replied that the firing was doubtless a cavalry skirmish, and refused to allow the guns to open. Walker then determined to be "forced" to fire according to the letter of Jackson's orders. He placed two North Carolina regiments in full view of the Federal artillery on the Virginia heights and quickly drew their fire. This was answered by his own batteries.

Walker's initiative was followed by other generals, and all that Sunday afternoon, while McClellan's troops were storming the passes of South Mountain to cut their way through and relieve Harpers Ferry, the duel of the cannon sent thundering echoes up and down the valley and across the Maryland hills.

Night stopped the rain of iron on the 14th. Inside the Federal lines everything looked hopeless. Two cavalry colonels asked permission to ride out of the trap with their troops and were allowed to sally forth after dark. These were the only members of the garrison to escape. The plan of escape for the cavalry had been broached the evening of the 13th, before a shot had been fired, by Colonel B. F. Davis of the Eighth New York. The Twelfth Illinois, under Colonel Arno Voss, joined fortune with the New York troopers, and after dark on the 14th the little column crossed into Maryland and made its way through the corps of General Longstreet, which was then moving toward the Potomac from the interior of Maryland.

The sound of battle off in the direction of South Mountain up to dark of the 14th warned Jackson that no time was left for parley. The enemy was coming nearer and nearer to the beleaguered fortress. At daylight on the 15th he opened with fifty guns. The fire swept the Federal lines front and rear. A heavy fog obscured the view of Walker's artilleryists on Loudon heights, but they pounded away at the range fixed the day before. The Federal gunners fired with spirit on the start, but after a time their shots became feeble and at 8 o'clock a. m. ceased altogether. At that hour Colonel Dixon S. Miles, after consulting his officers, waved the white flag.

Many of the Confederate gunners on the distant heights could not see the signal of surrender and continued to hurl their missiles into the beleaguered camps. Even while waving the flag Colonel Miles was struck with the fragment of a shell and died next day from the wound. It is said by General Julius White of the garrison that Miles intended the white flag as a sign for a truce pending negotiations. He hourly expected to hear the guns of McClellan thundering in the rear of McLaws on Maryland heights, for he had dispatched a courier to the general stating that he could not hold out longer than the night of the 15th.

Jackson's capture of Harpers Ferry added greatly to his renown for energy and dash, but the affair turned out a deathblow to Lee in Maryland. McClellan pushed on so rapidly that Lee had to turn his whole army back to the Potomac to fight McClellan with Jackson away.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

THE MUDGE MINING COMPANY

(Original.)

Silas Mudge, a farmer, hearing that an uncle had died in Colorado and had left him a small mining property, concluded to go out and look after it. But the boy had to be got in and the fruits shipped, and it was three months before Silas started.

In Denver he fell in with a drummer who was inclined to make game of the simple farmer. One evening the drummer, being asked in the rotunda of the hotel where Silas was staying, "Who's your country-jake friend?" replied: "That fellow? That's Pinkerton's crack detective. He's on the track of some big rascality. What do you think of his makeup?"

A man sitting near heard the words, started and walked quickly away. That night, as Silas was going to bed, there was a knock at his door, and a man followed the knock.

"I'm on to your game," he said. "Reckon I don't understand you, stranger," said Silas astonished. "I know what you're here for. It's a certain mining company."

"Well," exclaimed Silas, with eyes and mouth open.

"You can't fool me with that farmer business. You're a Pinkerton man out here to look after us fellows who are getting up the Mudge Mining company. Now, you're off your base. The thing isn't a swindle at all, but a bona fide transaction. The only weak spot in it is the Mudge property, which isn't worth \$10 an acre. The other properties are all right. We got our deed to the Mudge land from a rascal who personated the heir. He fooled us beautifully. But we don't want any suspicion cast on our company, and we're ready to do the right thing about this Mudge property."

"How much did you pay for it?" "Five hundred dollars. We had to have it to carry our ore through. There is no other exit for a road from our other property. What we're afraid of is that if the transfer of the Mudge property to us in a fraudulent manner becomes known it will prevent our floating the stock of our company."

"You mean you're ready to pay me something for your back home an' make no investigation?" "We'll take you in on the ground floor if you can engage the real Mudge heir, whom I suspect you represent, will give us a quitclaim deed to his property. There's \$3,000,000 of stock, all of which we own. We're going to put \$100,000 of it on the market at a dollar a share. We'll give you \$50,000 more stock for the same purpose."

Mudge was no fool. He thought for some time and finally closed with the man. A contract was drawn, a notary was routed out of his bed and all was made complete.

"I see," said the promoter, glancing over the paper, "that you have put everything in the name of the heir."

"Yes, so," replied Silas. "Well, then, he'll have either to call for the stock or send you a power of attorney."

"Yes, so." "Come to my office tomorrow and I will have a deed ready to be signed, also a receipt for the stock. Mudge will have to agree not to sell any of his stock till the 1st of January, when ours goes on the market, and then only at the rate of a thousand shares a day."

"Yes, so." The promoter gave the supposed detective a curious parting glance, as though he wondered at his motive for keeping up his country character, then left him.

When the promoter entered his office the next morning at 10 o'clock, Silas had been waiting for him three hours.

The papers were ready. "Send these papers to Silas Mudge," said the promoter, "and when they're presented here, duly executed, we'll deliver the stock."

Silas took the papers and studied them for a long while. Finally he asked:

"Did you get the stock ready?" "It's in that safe."

"Git it out." "But you don't expect us to deliver it till you produce Mudge's receipts?"

"Git it out," repeated Silas. The promoter brought out the stock.

"What'll you give for it in cash?" "Cash? Why, let me see—50 per cent of par."

"I'll take it." The promoter, still believing that for some purpose of his own the supposed detective was keeping up his character of countryman, drew a check for \$25,000.

"Don't want that. I want the money."

"I can have it certified."

"Don't want nothin' certified. Gimme the bills."

The promoter went to the bank himself and brought back twenty-five one thousand dollar bills. Silas put one hand on the pile and with the other signed the papers. "Silas Mudge!" exclaimed the promoter. "Yes, so."

Silas showed the bills into his capacious pocket and moved toward the door, leaving the promoter gaping after him. The stock of the Mudge Mining company went on the market at par and gradually sank to nothing. 200,000 shares having been disposed of at an average of \$45. The promoters made a handsome thing, the public were gulled, and Silas Mudge was content with the sale of his patrimony.

"I spec' the galoot went pretended to be me," said Silas, "was one of the company."

MABEL ELIZABETH HOVEY.

COAL COMBINE FALLS THROUGH

Indiana Bituminous Operators Fail to Form a Merger.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 17.—The combination of Indiana bituminous coal operators, which has been forming at New York, has fallen through. The failure to combine is believed to be due to the uncertain condition of the stock market. J. Smith Tally, a prominent coal operator of Terre Haute, who returned from New York, confirmed the report at Terre Haute. Other operators at New York besides Mr. Tally were J. C. Kolsen and A. M. Ogle of Indianapolis, J. R. Seiffert of Chicago and James H. McClelland of Brazil. Prominent coal dealers in Terre Haute are positive the trust will be organized before Jan. 1.

JUDGMENT IN THE ROWELL CASE

Costs and Interest Bring Original Claim of \$19,000 to \$50,000.

Oshkosh, Wis., Nov. 17.—The "Rowell case," which has been in litigation for a score of years, has been decided. Judgment was rendered in the Circuit court in favor of the plaintiffs in the action, Mrs. Mary I. Rowell, Mrs. Jennie Beichl, Walden T. Rowell, Edna E. Rowell, and Clarence I. Rowell, against the defendants, J. S. Rowell, the J. S. Rowell Manufacturing company, its stockholders, and George F. Mortin. In the sum of \$19,050.60 and costs of action, estimated at \$50,000.

ANGRY LAD SHOOT'S PLAYMATE

Uncontrollable Temper Leads Boy to Commit Murder.

Baldwin, Wis., Nov. 17.—Jens Nelson, a 14-year-old boy, shot and killed his playmate, Albert Ecker, 7 years of age. The boys were playing at Nelson's home, when he went into the house and brought out a loaded shotgun. Soon after something Albert did angered young Nelson and he leveled the gun at the lad. The latter not thinking he would shoot, stood still and received the charge in the head, killing him instantly.

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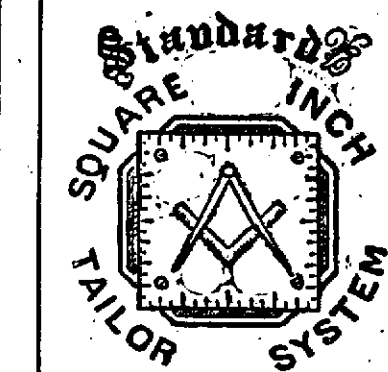
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JACKSON SIGNALING BATTLE ORDERS AT HARPERS FERRY.

army reached Frederick was Sunday, and Stonewall went to church and quietly slept throughout the service.

Lee waited four days to see what the enemy would do before he made a move from Frederick. About that time he learned that McClellan had been restored to the command of the Army of the Potomac. He supposed that a soldier like McClellan would order the evacuation of Harpers Ferry, because the post was cut off from support by the presence of Lee between that point and Washington. But General Halleck was at the head of the national army and ordered the commandant at Harpers Ferry to hold the fort, at the same time directing McClellan to march north out of Washington, keep close to the Potomac and relieve Harpers Ferry. This so-called "military blunder," the attempt to hold on at Harpers Ferry, decided the campaign in Maryland.

